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Births.

BOSANQUET.—March 23, at Uralla, Double Bay, the wife of Commander Bosanquet, of a son.

CASWELL.—March 23, 1890, at Commercial Bank, Inverell, the wife of A. F. Vyner Caswell, of a daughter.

VINDIN.—March 23, 1890, at the Australian Joint Stock Bank, Richmond, the wife of Frank J. Vindin, of a son.

WINDRIM.—February 23, 1890, at her residence, Raymond-road, Neutral Bay, the wife of Samuel Wylie Windrim, of a son; both doing well. Colonial and home papers please copy.

Deaths.

AIKEN.—March 22, at Northcote, Victoria, Sophia, the dearly beloved mother of Edward Imlay Aiken, of North Annandale, aged 71 years.

ANDERSON.—March 24, 1890, at his residence, 30 Jarrett-street, Leichhardt, William Anderson, late of Parramatta-road, aged 47 years.

DEBNEY.—February 3, at Southwold, Suffolk, England, Henry Johnson Debney, aged 74.

VINDIN.—March 23, 1890, at Richmond, the infant son of Frank J. and Charlotte Vindin.

In Memoriam.

CHILDS.—In loving remembrance of our dear father, Charles Childs late of No. 1 Dale-street, Chippendale, who fell asleep March 23, 1889. His end was peace.

Gone, dear father, but not forgotten,
Or ever will you be,
For while life and memory last
We will remember thee.

Inserted by his loving son and daughter, Henry and Jane Childs.

PATTERSON.—In loving memory of Captain Alex. Patterson, who was drowned at Tobio, March, 1896, ship Aldergrove. Inserted by his friend A. Lemcke.

Shipping.

ORIENT LINE OF ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

The following Royal Mail Steamships belonging to the ORIENT and PACIFIC COMPANIES will leave Sydney at 1 p.m. on the undermentioned dates for PLYMOUTH and LONDON, via Melbourne, Adelaide, Albany, Colombo, and the Suez Canal, calling at Naples and Gibraltar:—

IBERIA	4702 tons	W. Waddilove	April 5
AUSTRAL	5588 "	J. F. Ruthven	April 19
*CUZCO	3918 "	J. F. Anderson	April 26
ORIENT	5386 "	J. K. Ridler	May 12
*LUSITANIA	3825 "	A. Tillett	May 26
OROYA	6184 "	R. Studdert	June 9
ORIZABA	6184 "	G. N. Conlan	June 23

And fortnightly thereafter.
Steamers marked * will not call at Colombo.
PASSAGE MONEY—Saloon, £55, £63, and £70.
Second, £30 and £37.
EXCURSION RETURN TICKETS AT REDUCED RATES.

SALOON PASSENGERS allowed to break their journey.
Third and Steerage (including bedding, mess utensils, &c.)—
Open berths ... ... 17 guineas each adult
Four-berth cabin ... ... 20 pounds each adult
Two-berth cabin ... ... 22 pounds each adult.
Facilities are afforded for bringing out friends and relatives from London by the prepayment of passage money here at the above rates.

MANAGERS: F. GREEN and CO. and ANDERSON, ANDERSON, and CO., Fenchurch-avenue, London, E.C.
Full particulars on application to
G. S. YUILL,
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DIRECT SERVICE TO ENGLAND.
PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

The Company's Royal Mail Steamships (under contract with the Imperial, New South Wales, Victorian, and South Australian Governments) will be despatched from their Wharf, Circular Quay, as under, for LONDON, calling at Melbourne, Adelaide, Albany, Colombo, Aden, Brindisi, Malta, Gibraltar, and Plymouth:—

Steamer.	Tons.	Commander.	Leave Sydney 1 p.m.	Leave Melbourne.	Leave Adelaide.
Arcadia	6362	W. B. Andrews	Mar. 29 noon	April 4	April 7
Britannia	6525	J. Orman	April 14	April 19	April 23
Carthage	5013	W. A. Wheler	May 5	May 10	May 14
Victoria	6268	G. F. Cates	May 19	May 24	May 28
Valetta	4919	R. P. Briscoe	June 2	June 7	June 11
Ballaarat	4748	E. Ashdown	June 16	June 21	June 25

And thenceforth every alternate week.
RESERVED CABINS ON MODERATE TERMS.
[illegible] PASSENGERS MAY BREAK the JOURNEY.
[illegible] for SECOND SALOON PASSENGERS having [illegible] thoroughly reorganised, the accommodation now offered is [illegible] improved.
Passage money can be paid here for passage from England. Liberal concessions made to families.
Passengers, cargo, and parcels are booked through to India, China, and Japan. Cargo and parcels will not be received after 3 p.m. on the day previous to sailing.
For all information apply at the Company's Office, 247, George-street.
A. MACLEAN, Acting Agent.

P. AND O. S. N. COMPANY.
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The SPECIAL ATTENTION of intending passengers is drawn to the Superior Accommodation now offered in the second saloon of the Company's vessels in point of ventilation, two-berthed cabins for married couples, and all the latest improvements.
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A. MACLEAN,
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Steamers under postal contract with the Government of France, calling at MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, ALBANY, MAHE, SUEZ, and PORT SAID.
Passengers booked to BOMBAY, REUNION, MAURITIUS, and EAST COAST of AFRICA.
The service is carried on by powerful steamers of 4000 tons and 3000 effective h.p., built expressly for the Australian and New Caledonian line, which will be despatched as follows:—

Steamer.	Commander.	Leave Sydney at 4 p.m.	Leave Melbourne 4 p.m.
YARRA	Boullard	March 25	March 28
AUSTRALIEN	Didier	April 25	April 28
OCEANIEN	Poydenot	May 25	May 28

And thenceforward on the 25th of each month.

Rates of passage money to Marseilles, from £20 to £65, including table wines and Suez Canal dues on passengers.
RETURN TICKETS issued at the following rates:—

	First Class.	Second Class.	Third Class.
Available 9 months	£105	£64	£34
Available 12 months	£115	£68	£36

English interpreters meet through passengers for London on arrival of steamers at Marseilles, and accompany them to Paris and Calais.
N.B.—Passengers' luggage conveyed free of cost from Marseilles to London.
For freight, passage, and further particulars, apply at the Company's Offices, 15, Macquarie-place.
A. CONIL,
Principal Agent.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.
IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL.
Passengers are carried according to the requirements of the English Passenger Acts of 1855 and 1863.

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from
SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, and ADELAIDE,
to SOUTHAMPTON, ANTWERP, and BREMEN, via COLOMBO, Aden, Suez, and Genoa,
taking passengers for London,
connecting from PORT SAID by DIRECT MAIL and PASSENGER LINE TO BRINDISI,
will be despatched as follows (if practicable):—

Steamer.	Commander.	Leave Sydney, noon.	Leave Melbourne.	Leave Adelaide Semaphore.
		1890.	1890.	1890.
Nurnberg	H. Engelbart	Mar. 26	Mar. 29	April 2.
Kaiser Wilhelm II.	L. Störmer	April 19	April 26	April 28.
Hohenstaufen	F. Kessler	May 21	May 24	May 26.
Habsburg	G. Thumann	June 18	June 21	June 24.
Salier	W. Reimkasten	July 16	July 19	July 22.

And thereafter every four weeks.
PASSAGE MONEY from SYDNEY,
£14 to £57 10s.
RETURN TICKETS, available for NINE and TWELVE MONTHS, at REDUCED RATES.
Passengers and cargo are booked through to New York, via Southampton.
Special facilities are afforded for bringing out relatives and friends from the United Kingdom and Europe by prepayment of the passage money in Australia.
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FREDK. BETZ and CO., Agents,
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FOR ANTWERP AND HAMBURG DIRECT,
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OVERLAND ROUTE TO ENGLAND, VIA SAN FRANCISCO AND NEW YORK, CALLING AT AUCKLAND AND HONOLULU.

Avoiding alike the heat of the Red Sea and the cold of Cape Horn.

Under contract with the Postmasters-General of New South Wales and New Zealand, the Steamers of this line are appointed to leave Sydney and Auckland for Honolulu and San Francisco EVERY FOUR WEEKS, sailing as under:—

Steamer.	Tns	Commander.	Leave Sydney at 4 p.m.	Arrive at San Francisco.
Zealandia	3000	Van Oterendorp	April 16	May 10.
Alameda	3000	H. G. Morse	May 14	June 7.

Each steamer carries a duly qualified Surgeon.
These steamers are fitted with electric light, and with a refrigerating chamber for ship's provisions, ensuring a plentiful supply of ice throughout the voyage.
Passengers are booked to San Francisco or through to European destinations, and have at San Francisco choice of the unrivalled Atlantic Steamship Lines of the Cunard, Inman, White Star, and other Companies.
All first-class passengers are allowed 350lb. of baggage for San Francisco and 250lb. "overland" free of charge.
THROUGH FARE TO LIVERPOOL,
FIRST-CLASS, £62 to £66.
Time cards, railway maps, and guide books showing all routes to any point of the United States, may be had on application.
For rates of passage and freight and all other information apply at the Company's Offices, 15 Bridge-street.
FREDK. W. JACKSON, Manager.

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DESPATCH STEAMERS WEEKLY FOR ALL NEW ZEALAND PORTS, taking PASSENGERS at REDUCED RATES.

FROM SYDNEY—
TEKAPO, 2466 tons, FRIDAY, March 28, at 4 p.m., from Tasmanian Wharf, for Auckland, Gisborne, Napier, Wellington, Lyttelton, Port Chalmers (Dunedin), Bluff, Milford Sound, and Melbourne.
WAKATIPU, 1797 tons, TUESDAY, April 1, at 4 p.m., for Wellington, Lyttelton, and Dunedin, transhipping to outports.
WAIRARAPA, 1786 tons, THURSDAY, April 3, via Auckland.
N.B.—No cargo received within one hour of sailing.

FROM MELBOURNE—
MARAROA, 2500 tons, TUESDAY, April 1, via Hobart and Bluff.
Offices—15 Bridge-street.
Wharves—Margaret and Sussex streets, and Druitt-street.
FRED. W. JACKSON, Manager.

THE SYDNEY TRANSFER COMPANY collect and Shift Luggage at one charge from all suburbs.

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The EASTERN and AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S splendid Steamship
TANNADICE, 2182 tons,
P. T. HELMS, Commander,
will be despatched from Sydney on
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26,
at 4 p.m.,
taking passengers for Thursday Island, Port Darwin, HONGKONG and JAPAN.
Saloon passengers booked through to San Francisco, Liverpool, London, and the Continent of Europe.
This favourite steamer has large cooling chambers, ensuring a plentiful supply of ICE and FRESH PROVISIONS throughout the voyage.

For freight, passage, and full particulars apply to
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WINTHROP ELLIS, Commander,
will be despatched from the Company's Wharf, Millers Point, on WEDNESDAY, 9th April,
taking passengers for
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Saloon passengers booked through to San Francisco, Liverpool, London, and the Continent of Europe.
This favourite steamer has large Cooling Chambers, ensuring a plentiful supply of ICE and FRESH PROVISIONS throughout the voyage.

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Managing Agents.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, Limited.

STEAM TO HONGKONG DIRECT.

S.S. CHANGSHA, 2300 tons,
will be despatched from the Company's Jetty, SMITH'S WHARF, MILLER'S POINT,
on
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The steamers are fitted with a HASLAM'S PATENT REFRIGERATOR, ensuring a supply of FRESH PROVISIONS and ICE throughout the voyage, an advantage offered by no other steamers running to Hongkong.
An experienced SURGEON is carried.

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CHINA AND THE EAST.

EXCURSION to JAPAN and CHINA.

THE CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY'S
Splendid New Steel Steamship
TAIYUAN, 2300 tons,
will be despatched 12th APRIL,
on a
SPECIAL ROUND VOYAGE,
taking the following route:—
Brisbane, Townsville, Cooktown, Thursday Island, Port Darwin, Hongkong, Shanghai, thence through the Inland Sea of Japan to Nagasaki and Kobe, returning via Hongkong, and probably British North Borneo.

The SALOON is AMIDSHIPS, and the state-rooms, containing two berths only, are unusually large and well ventilated.
The steamers are fitted with a HASLAM'S PATENT REFRIGERATOR, ensuring a supply of FRESH PROVISIONS and ICE throughout the voyage, an advantage offered by no other steamers running to Hongkong.
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MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, PORT PIRIE, AND ALL SOUTH AND WEST AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

THIS COMPANY offers to intending passengers and shippers the quickest and most comfortable means of reaching Melbourne and Adelaide.

THE EXPRESS STEAMERS
of this Company leave Sydney every SATURDAY, as under:
From the Company's Wharf, Lime-street, off Erskine-st.
S.S. ADELAIDE ... | SATURDAY, March 29 ... | 1 p.m.
S.S. VICTORIAN ... | SATURDAY, April 5 ... | 1 p.m.

These steamers have splendid saloon accommodation, make the PASSAGE to MELBOURNE in 12 HOURS less than any OTHER STEAMERS on the coast, and deliver cargo at Port Adelaide in 48 hours less than any other steamer running to South Australia.
Passengers can be booked at the wharf.
Steerage passengers provided with beds and rugs.
No cargo received after 12.30 on day of sailing.

EXCURSION RATES.
REDUCED FARES
to
MELBOURNE.
SALOON £1 10 0
RETURN 2 10 0
FORE CABIN 0 15 0

STEAM TO WESTERN and NORTHERN AUSTRALIA, Albany, Vasse, Bunbury, Fremantle (Perth), by early steamer.

GOODS for SILVERTON and BROKEN HILL, QUICKEST and CHEAPEST ROUTE.

GOODS can be booked by these steamers through to Port Pirie, and forwarded thence by rail by the Company's Agents, if so instructed, or by shippers' own agents.
Goods shipped by Saturday's steamer reach Port Pirie the following Tuesday week, and are then within one day's rail journey of Silverton and Broken Hill. This route saves 80 miles of rail journey and avoids break of gauge.
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STEAM TO NEW ZEALAND PORTS, VIA AUCKLAND.

CHEAP FARES AND FREIGHTS,

Saloon, £3. Steerage, £1 10s.

The magnificent steamer JUBILEE, 1650 tons, 1250 horse-power, will be despatched from the Clarence, Richmond, and Macleay S. N. Company's Wharf for New Zealand ports, VIA AUCKLAND, about THURSDAY, April 3.
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247 George-street.

STEAM TO NEW ZEALAND PORTS, Via AUCKLAND.

SPECIALLY LOW FARES and FREIGHTS.

SALOON ... £3 0 0 | STEERAGE ... £1 10 0

The magnificent new Steamship HAUROTO or WAIHORA will be despatched as above about
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The accommodation in both classes is unsurpassed.

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STEAM TO LONDON, VIA CAPETOWN.

The magnificent Aberdeen White Star steamship
DAMASCUS,
3600 tons register,
A. H. G. DOUGLAS, Commander,
will be despatched from Sydney on
FRIDAY, MARCH 28.

This well-known steamer having exceptionally fine accommodation in all classes, the attention of intending passengers desirous of escaping the great heat of the Red Sea is particularly requested.
The ship is fitted with electric light. A surgeon and stewardess will accompany the steamer, and a cow will be carried.
THIS IS THE ONLY DIRECT STEAMER FOR THE SOUTH AFRICAN GOLDFIELDS.
For freight or passage apply to
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Line of Magnificent Fast Steel Steamships.

CHEAP FARES AND FREIGHTS TO MELBOURNE.
FOR MELBOURNE (also see separate advertisements).

SATURDAY, March 29, 9 a.m.	LEURA	J. D. Joy
TUESDAY, April 1, 4 p.m.	GAMBIER	A. Easton
THURSDAY, April 3, 5 p.m.	GABO	J. Pain
TUESDAY, April 8, 4 p.m.	RODONDO	W. Seymour

For ADELAIDE, via MELBOURNE.

SATURDAY, March 29, 9 a.m.	LEURA	J. D. Joy
THURSDAY, April 3, 5 p.m.	GABO	J. Pain

The steamers of this service are the largest engaged in the Adelaide trade.
Passengers by through steamers for Adelaide are maintained on board whilst in Melbourne.

NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, RAYMOND TERRACE.
BALMAIN every TUESDAY and FRIDAY NIGHT, 10 p.m.
FOR BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, ROCKHAMPTON (also see separate advertisement).

FRIDAY, March 28, 5 p.m.	*BUNINY'NG	Richardson
TUESDAY, April 1, 4 p.m.	KONO'WA'RA	G. Smith
SATURDAY, April 5, 10 a.m.	*BARRABOOL	W. Laycock

FOR MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE, Cairns, Bundaberg, Dungeness, Cardwell, Mourilyan Harbour, Geraldton, Russell River, Plantation Creek (also see separate advertisement).

FRIDAY, March 28, 5 p.m.	BUNINY'NG	Richardson
TUESDAY, April 1, 4 p.m.	*KON'WA'RA	G. Smith
SATURDAY, April 5, 10 a.m.	BARRABOOL	W. Laycock

* Tranship at Brisbane for other ports.
A NEW DIRECT SERVICE to MOURILYAN, THE HERBERT, and GERALDTON HAS NOW BEEN ARRANGED. CARGO and PASSENGERS BOOKED at LOWEST RATES.
CHEAP FARES and FREIGHTS to MELBOURNE.
SINGLE (SALOON) £1 10 0
RETURN ditto 2 10 0
SINGLE (SECOND SALOON) ... 0 15 0
All Passengers' Tickets issued on board steamers by ships' officers will be charged 5s in excess of the ordinary rate.
Cargo received daily for Newcastle.
RETURN TICKETS are available for SIX months.
Special arrangements for large lines of freight.
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STEAM TO BRISBANE, MACKAY, and TOWNSVILLE DIRECT, transhipping to MARYBOROUGH, ROCKHAMPTON, CAIRNS, BUNDABERG.
S.S. BUNINYONG, 3000 tons, T. B. Richardson, will leave for the above ports FRIDAY, March 28th, at 5 p.m. This magnificent vessel is one of the most luxuriously appointed passenger steamers on the coast. Saloon full width of ship; roomy two-berthed cabins; spacious promenade deck. Special attention paid to cuisine. The attention of shippers to Mackay, Townsville, and local ports is specially called to this Special Weekly Service, which will go direct from Brisbane. This is the fastest service to Townsville.
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FOR MELBOURNE and ADELAIDE.

CHEAP FARES and FREIGHTS.
TO MELBOURNE—
Saloon, single ... £1 10 0
Saloon, return ... 2 10 0
Second Saloon, single 15 0

S.S. LEURA (J. D. Joy) will leave SATURDAY, March 29, at 9 a.m. This favourite steamer is fitted with every latest improvement, including music and smoking saloons, and in both classes the accommodation is unequalled. The LEURA takes passengers right up to the town wharf, without the delay of transhipping at Sandridge.
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CHEAP FARES TO NEWCASTLE.
BALMAIN, every TUESDAY and FRIDAY night at 10.
SALOON: Single, 5s. Return, 8s.
SECOND-CLASS: Single, 3s. Return, 5s.
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TASMANIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
FREIGHT TO HOBART, FIVE SHILLINGS PER TON.
FARES:
To and from SYDNEY and HOBART or LAUNCESTON.
SALOON—SINGLE, £3; RETURN, £5.
STEERAGE—SINGLE, £1; RETURN, £1 10s.
From Tasmanian Wharf, Sussex-street, near Margaret-street.
For HOBART, via EDEN.—Passengers only for Eden.—The MAGNIFICENT passenger STEAMSHIP OONAH, fitted with electric light, THIS DAY, 26th March, at 6 p.m., and THURSDAY, 3rd April.
For LAUNCESTON, via EDEN.—Passengers only for Eden.
—S.S. MORETON, SATURDAY, 29th March, at noon.
FROM MELBOURNE:
For LAUNCESTON.—S.S. PATEENA and FLINDERS, every MONDAY and THURSDAY.
For HOBART.—S.S. FLORA, every SATURDAY, at noon.
For CIRCULAR HEAD, EMU BAY, and FORMBY.—S.S. MANGANA, every TUESDAY, at 3 p.m.
RETURN TICKETS are available for six months.
T. and W. WILLIS, Agents,
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STEAM TO HOBART VIA EDEN.
TASMANIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

The Magnificent New Passenger Steamship
OONAH,
fitted with Electric Light and all Modern Conveniences, and Unsurpassed for SPEED and COMFORT,
will leave the Company's Wharf, Sussex-street, near Margaret-street,
THIS DAY, 26th March, at 6 p.m.
Early application for berths necessary.

FARES:
Saloon, single, £3; return, £5
Steerage, single, £1; return, £1 10s.

Passengers will have the opportunity of viewing the beautiful harbour and scenery of Eden, Twofold Bay.
Through Tickets issued for any route.
T. and W. WILLIS, Agents,
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HUDDART, PARKER, and CO.'S LINE.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE AND TASMANIA.
FROM HUDDART, PARKER'S WHARF:
FOR MELBOURNE WHARF
Direct:—

BURRUMBEET	4000 tons	WED'SDAY, April 2, 10 p.m.
ELINGAMITE	4000 tons	TH'RSDAY, April 3, 10 p.m.

FOR LAUNCESTON, VIA MELBOURNE,
transhipping to S.S. NEWCASTLE.

BURRUMBEET	4000 tons	WED'SDAY, April 2, 10 p.m.
ELINGAMITE	4000 tons	TH'RSDAY, April 3, 5 p.m.

FOR HOBART DIRECT:

WENDOUREE	3000 tons	WED'SDAY, April 2, 10 p.m.

Reduced PASSENGER FARES and FREIGHTS
to Melbourne.
Freights, 6s per ton.
FARES:
Saloon £1 10 0
" Return 2 10 0
Fore Cabin 0 15 0
Return tickets are available for six months.
HUDDART, PARKER, and CO., Limited.
Offices and Wharf—Foot of Margaret-street.

STEAM to GERRINGONG, SHOALHAVEN, and BERRY.

From Huddart, Parker's Wharf.

Per
Steamships COOMONDERRY and MEEINDERRY,
as under:—
MONDAYS, for all Shoalhaven ports.
TUESDAYS, for all Shoalhaven ports and Gerringong
THURSDAYS, for all Shoalhaven ports.
FRIDAYS, for all Shoalhaven ports and Gerringong.

ILLAWARRA S. N. COMPANY.

WEATHER PERMITTING.
WOLLONGONG—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 11 p.m.; Wednesday, noon; Friday, 10 a.m.; Saturday, noon (passengers only).
KIAMA—Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 11 p.m.
SHOALHAVEN—Tuesday, Friday, 11 p.m.
ULLADULLA—Wednesday, noon; Friday, 10 a.m.
BATEMAN'S BAY (CLYDE)—Friday, 10 a.m.
MORUYA—Friday, 10 a.m. CARGO ONLY.
BATEMAN'S BAY, for MORUYA—Friday, 10 a.m.
MERIMBULA—Wednesday, Saturday, noon, cargo 11 a.m.
TATHRA, for Bega—Wednesday, Saturday, noon, cargo 11 a.m.
EDEN—Wednesday, Saturday, noon, cargo 11 a.m.
BERMAGUI—Wednesday, 10 a.m.; Saturday, noon, cargo 11 a.m.

TO AND FROM WOLLONGONG:
Saloon, 5s; return, 7s 6d. Steerage, 2s 6d.

TO AND FROM KIAMA:
Saloon, 7s 6d; return, 11s. Steerage, 4s.
Meals provided at moderate rates.

TO AND FROM SHOALHAVEN:
Saloon, 15s; return, 22s 6d. Steerage, 10s.
Meals and sleeping berths provided free of charge.

STEAM TO BYRON BAY Direct.
S.S. AUGUSTA will leave Patent Slip Wharf for Byron Bay direct, on FRIDAY, 28th instant, at noon. Good passenger accommodation. Freights payable Sydney.
KELLY and QUIGLEY,
7 Exchange.

STEAM TO ULLADULLA.—The S.S. PETERBOROUGH will leave (weather permitting) the Caledonian Wharf THIS (Wednesday) NIGHT, at 7. Cargo received up to 5.
JNO. RITCHIE, Agent.

AUSTRALASIAN UNITED STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, Limited.

REDUCED FARES AND FREIGHT TO MELBOURNE.

Under contract with the Governments of New South Wales, New Caledonia, and Queensland for the conveyance of mails. These well-known high-class Passenger Steamers will be despatched as follows from A. U. S. N. Company's Wharf, Sussex and Margaret streets:—

MELBOURNE Wharf direct	Warrego*	Friday, 5 p.m., Mar. 28
	Aramac*	Tuesday, 10 a.m., April 1
BRISBANE...	Eurimbla	This day, 5 p.m., Mar. 26
Ditto	Fitzroy	Friday, 5 p.m., March 28
Ditto	Maranoa*	Saturday, 1 p.m., Mar. 29
Ditto	Cintra*	Tuesday, 5 p.m., April 1
Ditto	Glanworth	Wed., 5 p.m., April 2
MARYBOROUGH, Tuesday's and Saturday's steamers change at Brisbane	Fitzroy	Friday, 5 p.m., March 28
	Maranoa*	Saturday, 1 p.m., Mar. 29
	Cintra*	Tuesday, 5 p.m., April 1
	Glanworth	Wed., 5 p.m., April 2
BUNDABERG	Eurimbla	This day, 5 p.m., Mar. 26
GLADSTONE	Glanworth	Wed., 5 p.m., April 2
ROCKHAMPTON, Tuesday's and Saturday's steamers change at Keppel Bay	Eurimbla	This day, 5 p.m., Mar. 26
	Fitzroy	Friday, 5 p.m., March 28
	Maranoa*	Saturday, 1 p.m., Mar. 29
	Cintra*	Tuesday, 5 p.m., April 1
	Glanworth	Wed., 5 p.m., April 2
MACKAY, BOWEN, TOWNSVILLE, CAIRNS, PORT DOUGLAS and COOKTOWN, Wednesday's steamers change at Brisbane	Eurimbla	This day, 5 p.m., Mar. 26
	Maranoa*	Saturday, 1 p.m., Mar. 29
	Cintra*	Tuesday, 5 p.m., April 1
	Glanworth	Wed'day, 5 p.m., April 2
	Warrego*	Saturday, 11 a.m., April 5
	Aramac*	Tuesday, 5 p.m., April 8
DUNGENESS, CARDWELL, MOURILYAN, JOHNSTONE R'VR. (change at Cleveland Bay)	Eurimbla	This day, 5 p.m., Mar. 26
THURSDAY ISLD., NORMANTON (nearest port to the Croydon Goldfields)	Maranoa*	Saturday, 1 p.m., Mar. 29
BURKETOWN, NOUMEA, SUVA, FIJI, LEVUKA, FIJI	Tenterden	To-m'r'w, 5 p.m., Mar. 27
NEW HEBRIDES, ADELAIDE	Tenterden / Early steamer	To-m'r'w, 5 p.m., Mar. 27

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21st March, 1890.

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SPLENDID upright Grand PIANO, £35, same as sold elsewhere for 90 guineas. 296 Bourke-street.

VICTOR PIANO for SALE, nearly new, cheap. Apply T. R. Davis, Herald Office.

MASSIVE Cottage Pianos, £8, £10, £14 each. Greatest bargains in Sydney at 296 Bourke-st., nr. Oxf.

BEAUTIFUL John Brinsmead and Sons' Piano, £18, genuine bargain. 296 Bourke-st., near Oxford-st.

PIANO.—Gentleman in distress will sacrifice splendid iron-framed, full trichord, patent check action, metal pin-plate PIANO, only in use 2 months, cost £85, price for cash, £43. By letter, R. R., Petersham Post-office.

CRITERION THEATRE. Under the Management of Mr. BROUGH and Mr. BOUCICAULT.
Acting Manager ... ... H. J. Magee
Doors open 7. Curtain, 8. Carriages, 10.25.

Positively LAST THREE PERFORMANCES LAST THREE PERFORMANCES LAST THREE PERFORMANCES (previous to their departure for Melbourne) of the BROUGH-BOUCICAULT COMEDY COMPANY in the late T. W. ROBERTSON'S World-famed Comedy, in 3 Acts, entitled OURS OURS OURS (by arrangement with Mr. GEO. RIGNOLD).

CAST OF CHARACTERS.
Prince Perovsky ... Mr. Robert Brough
Sir Alexander Shendryn, Bart. ... Mr. J. F. Cathcart
Captain Samprey ... Mr. H. Chichester
Angus MacAlister ... Mr. Percy Lyndal
Hugh Chalcot ... Mr. G. S. Titheradge
Sergeant Jones ... Mr. G. W. Anson
Houghton ... Mr. K. F. Henry
Servant ... Mr. Wallace
Lady Shendryn ... Miss E. Romer
Blanche Haye ... Mrs. Robert Brough
Mary Netley ... Miss Pattie Browne

NEW SCENERY by Mr. HEDLEY CHURCHWARD. UNIFORMS by C. Anderson, Military Tailor, Oxford street. PRICES of ADMISSION, 5s, 3s, 2s, and 1s. Box Office open at Nicholson's Music Warehouse, where seats can be secured in advance.

CRITERION THEATRE. Under the Management of Mr. BROUGH and Mr. BOUCICAULT.
Acting Manager ... ... H. J. MAGEE.
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26, 1890.
GRAND MATINEE PERFORMANCE, in aid of the funds of I ZINGARI C. C., by the BROUGH-BOUCICAULT COMEDY COMPANY of CASTE.
Under the patronage of His EXCELLENCY LORD CARRINGTON, P.C., K.C.M.G., Admiral Lord Charles Scott, C.B.
Doors open for Ticket Holders at 1.45. General Public at 2. Commence 2.30.
Plan is now open at Nicholson's.
Tickets can be obtained from the Hon. Secretary, Mr. C. O. HODGSON, 69 Hunter-street.

CRITERION THEATRE. Under the Management of Mr. BROUGH and Mr. BOUCICAULT. Manager for Messrs. Brough and Boucicault, Mr. H. J. Magee. GRAND OPERATIC SEASON, commencing SATURDAY, March 29. First Appearance at this Theatre of the ENGLISH and COMIC OPERA COMPANY, under the direction of Mr. HENRY BRACY.
Reappearance of this complete Company of Artists, who have just terminated successful seasons in Melbourne and Adelaide.
Artists:
Miss Lillian Tree, Miss Flora Graupner
Miss Clara Thompson, Miss Marie Brooke
Mr. Knight Aston, Mr. John Forde
Mr. Arthur Lissant, Mr. Wm. Stevens
Mr. E. Phillips, Mr. A. Magnay
Mr. HENRY BRACY.
The initial performance will be ALFRED CELLIER'S entirely new Comic Opera, THE SULTAN OF MOCHA THE SULTAN OF MOCHA, which will be produced for the first time in Sydney with ENTIRELY NEW SCENERY and EFFECTS, GORGEOUS and MAGNIFICENT COSTUMES, POWERFUL MALE and FEMALE CHORUS, GRAND OPERA ORCHESTRA, under the baton of Mr. H. T. Harrison.
Admission—Dress Circle, 5s; Stalls, 3s; Family Circle, 2s; GALLERY, ONE SHILLING. Box plan at Nicholson's, open on Monday morning. Manager for the English and Comic Opera Company, JOE DAVIS.

SOLOMON'S ROYAL MUSEUM. CUNARD ... ... Manager. Last 4 days of TEXAS JACK, Jun., THE VERITABLE COWBOY, received with great enthusiasm on Saturday night. COME AND SEE TEXAS JACK, Jun., and all the other novelties. Admission 1s, children 6d. Open 11 to 10. SATURDAY NEXT, JUN GUN, and a big programme.

HOT SEA WATER BATHS. Hot Fresh Water Baths. Hot Sea Water Baths, single Bath, 1s 6d; Hot Fresh ditto, ditto, 9d. Open for Ladies and Gentlemen. Week days, 6 a.m. to 9.30 p.m. Saturdays, 6 a.m. to 9.30 p.m. THE SYDNEY BATHING COMPANY, Limited, 400 Pitt-street, Haymarket.

BOYLE'S Singing Class, Monday next, Carrington Hall, next Prot. Hall, C'reagh-st., 10s 6d qr., 7.30 p.m.

WOOLCOTT'S TOURIST BUREAU, 6 Bridge-street.—Booking-office for all sights in New S. Wales.

Government Railways.

HAWKESBURY RACES, POSTPONED till 29th and 31st MARCH. HOLIDAY EXCURSION TICKETS to Windsor, Clarendon, and Richmond, will be issued at all Stations from 25th March, and thereafter by all trains arriving at Clarendon, up till noon on 31st March; available for return until 2nd April. Tickets issued to grooms and jockeys, in charge of racehorses, will be available for return until 6th April.
On the 29th and 31st March Special Trains will leave Sydney for Richmond as under:—Second-class, 9.25 and 9.48 a.m.; first-class, 10.15 and 10.28 a.m.; and for horses at 9.50 a.m. Returning from the Course at 4.30, 4.40, 4.55, and 5.5 p.m. Horse-boxes must be ordered the day previous to meeting.
Return Fare: as under:—Second-class from Sydney, 4s; from Granville and Parramatta, 3s 2d, from Blacktown, 2s 4d. First-class, 10s.

EASTER HOLIDAYS, 1890. HOLIDAY EXCURSION TICKETS will be issued from all Stations to all Stations distant over 14 miles, commencing with the Mail Trains leaving Terminal stations on 31st March, and until 7th April, both days inclusive, available for return till 14th April. For distances not exceeding 14 miles similar tickets will be issued from 4th April until 7th April inclusive, available for return on the day of issue or the following day.

INTERCOLONIAL FARES. From SYDNEY to MELBOURNE, and VICE VERSA. FIRST-CLASS Return, £5 6s 6d; SECOND-CLASS Return, £4 1s.
Tickets at these rates will be issued from 31st March to 11th April, 1890, inclusive, available for return for TWO MONTHS. Not available by Express, but passengers wishing to travel by Express can do so upon payment of 15s on first-class and 10s on second-class tickets.
From SYDNEY to ADELAIDE, and VICE VERSA. FIRST-CLASS Return, £7 6s 3d; SECOND-CLASS Return, £4 19s.
Passengers will be booked at these rates from 31st March to 11th April, 1890, inclusive, available for return for TWO MONTHS. Holders may travel by EXPRESS, and the JOURNEY can be BROKEN in MELBOURNE for ONE WEEK EACH WAY.
By order of the Commissioners. DAVID KIRKCALDIE, Chief Traffic Manager.
Chief Traffic Manager's Office, Sydney, 25th March, 1890.

Horses and Vehicles.

ANGUS and SON for Carriages, Buggies, Waggons, and Harness. Patentees of the Angus Buggy and the Reversible Phaeton. 73 and 75 Castlereagh-street, near King-street.

ENGLISH CARRIAGES, by Herbert Mulliner, now in Stock in Sydney, ready for delivery. Harness, Whips, &c. MULLINER and CO., Sutton's-chambers, 266, George-street.

BOURKE'S Clearance SALE of Cabs, Buggies, &c., now on; continued daily until the whole of the stock is disposed of. Don't delay, select your vehicles and arrange terms. Cab Works, Little Bourke-street.

THE EMPORIUM and SUPERIOR CLASS AMERICAN CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, HARNESS, and EXPRESS WAGGONS, BUILT EXPRESSLY for COLONIAL USE. An assortment of latest design always on hand, and monthly shipments to arrive. MATERIALS and WORKMANSHIP will stand any climate. BARRON, MOXHAM, and CO., Importers and Sole Agents, Wynyard-square, Sydney.

LETTING-OUT STABLES. EMANUEL and CO., 163 Castlereagh-street, and the City Stables, 97 Castlereagh-street, near King-street, have for HIRE Single and Double BUGGIES, day or night, at moderate prices. Hacks, Buggy and Carriage Pairs a specialty. N.B.—A few Vacancies in our livery department, at 25s per week, best forage.

MOORE and SON, Botany and Oxford streets.—Phaetons, Sociables, Buggies, Waggons, Sulkies, Rustic and Hooded Carts, English and American Harness, Brougham and other Cabs, latest patent improvements. Cabs to let.

WENTWORTH Livery Stables, Buckingham-st., Redfern.—Horses and Buggies for Hire, at low prices.

GRAND DOGCART, fast horse, mats, lamps, complete, only £30. View Dyson's, Castlereagh-street.

FOR SALE, first-class Square CAB. Apply J. Mackey, Riley-street, S. H.

I BEG to inform the Public that I have a few VACANCIES for livery at my stables, adjoining Grand Pier and Steyne Hotels, Manly. Good forage and careful groom. J. E. BLACK, Proprietor, Manly.

WANTED to Buy, a cheap, second-hand VAN. Apply by letter, A. G., 566 Harris-street, Ultimo.

WANTED, a good stanch HORSE, must be cheap. S. Day, Timber Merchant, Balmain.

WANTED, 15 BRICK-CARTS. Vickery and Sons, Vulcan Works, St. Peters.

WANTED to Buy, strong Road SULKY, cheap. W. H. Weirick, New Canterbury-rd., Petersham.

Government Notices.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, March 25, 1890.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.
For conditions see Government Gazette.

Nature of Works and Supplies.	Dates to which Tenders can be received at this office.
Erection of Post and Telegraph Office, Candletown	Wednesday, April 2.
Covering Roofs, Police Buildings, Albury. (Fresh tenders)	
Additions, Hillston Gaol. (Fresh tenders)	
Repairs, Courthouse, Howlong	
Additions, Cobar Gaol. (Fresh tenders)	
Erection of Police Barracks, Menindie. (Fresh tenders)	
Erection of Police Buildings, Corowa	
Wollongong Courthouse—Wall, Railing, &c.	
Erection of Police Buildings, Deepwater. (Fresh tenders)	
Engineer's Cottage, Spit Ferry, Middle Harbour	
Additions, &c., Police Buildings, Narrabri	
Wood Paving, Cook's River-road	
Bridge, Shoalhaven River, at Warri	
Additions, Public Works Offices	
Erection Post and Telegraph Office, Granville	
Store Building, Chowder Bay, Sydney	
Drill Shed, Victoria Barracks, Sydney. (Fresh tenders)	
Fencing Wall, &c., Industrial School for Girls, Parramatta	
Additions, &c., Coast Hospital, Little Bay. (Fresh tenders)	
Bridge, Egan's Creek, road Yerong to Mangoplah	
Construction of Wharf at North Codrington, Richmond River. (Time extended)	
Construction of Wooden Coaling Punt for Manning River. (Fresh tenders)	
Supply of Portland Cement, Harbours and Rivers Department, Hunter River District, 1890. (Fresh tenders)	
Erection of Lockup, Bombala	Wednesday, April 16, at 11 o'clock.
Retaining Wall, University Cutting. Contract No. 1. Manufacture, &c., of Ironwork and Lead for Railing	
Erection of Post and Telegraph Office, Silverton	
Additions, Police Barracks, Cudgellico	
Bridge, Boggy Creek, road Condobolin to Hillston. (Fresh tenders)	
Bridge, Deep Creek, road Condobolin to Wagga Wagga. (Fresh tenders)	
Bridge, Gundaman Creek-road, Wiseman's Ferry to Mangrove Creek	
Bridge on Road, Brooklyn Railway Station to old Peat's Ferry-road	
Bridge at Shannon's on road Hinton to Mount Kanwary	
Bridge, Duck River, at Mona-street, Auburn	
Construction of Offal Barge for Glebe Island	
Erection of Courthouse, Berry	
Renewal of Hotwater Pipes, Hospital for Insane, Parramatta	
Wharf, Kincumber Creek, Brisbane Water	
Additions to Wharf, Seven Oaks, Macleay River	Wednesday, April 30, at 11 o'clock.
Construction of Wharf at Byangum, Tweed River	
Construction of Wharf at Mullumbimby, Brunswick River	
Construction of Wharf at Upper Mangrove Creek, Hawkesbury River	
Construction of Wharf at Cockle Creek, Brisbane Water	
Construction of Strong-room, Lands Office Armidale	
Additions to Hydraulic Engine-house, Bullock Island, Newcastle	
Construction of Cottage, Creek (Newcastle) Sewer—Cont. No. 1, Country Towns Sewerage	
Installation of Electric Light, Bullock Island, Newcastle	Wednesday, May 14, at 11 o'clock.
Bridge, Lachlan River at Forbes—Cont. 1 and 2 (time extended)	

BRUCE SMITH.

No. B. 90-3055. Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, 24th March, 1890.

TENDERS FOR WORKS IN CONNECTION WITH PUBLIC SCHOOLS.
TENDERS will be received at this Office for the Works specified in the Schedule hereunder, up to 11 o'clock noon, on the date set forth in the second column.
Tenders are to be addressed to the Under Secretary, Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, and endorsed "Tender for (here insert the name of school, and the work to which the tender relates)."
J. H. CARRUTHERS.

Description of Work Tendered for.	Date up to which Tender will be received.	Where Plans and Specifications may be seen, and forms of Tender obtained.
Arncliffe — Painting and Repairs	9th April, 1890	Department of Public Instruction.
Bondi—Improvements and Repairs	9th April, 1890	Department of Public Instruction.
Macdonaldtown—Painting and Repairs	9th April, 1890	Department of Public Instruction.
Plunkett-street—Painting and Repairs	9th April, 1890	Department of Public Instruction.
Redfern — New Infants' School (brick), &c.	9th April, 1890	Department of Public Instruction.
Ryde North — Additions to Residence (brick), Repairs, &c.	9th April, 1890	Department of Public Instruction and Public School, Ryde North.

Department of Mines, Water Conservation, Sydney, March 19, 1890.

FRESH TENDERS FOR BORING FOR DEEP ARTESIAN WATER.
Fresh TENDERS are invited until noon on MONDAY, March 31, 1890, for Boring for Deep Artesian Water in the following contract:—
Contract No. 1—Five Bores on the Road, Wanaaring to Milparinka.
Contract No. 2—Bore at Coonamble.
Contract No. 3—Bore at Nyngan.
Contract No. 4—Five Bores on Road, Silverton to Lake Cobham.
Every tender must, as a guarantee of good faith, be accompanied by a preliminary deposit calculated according to the following scale, viz.:—For amounts up to £500 inclusive, £5; for all amounts exceeding £500 but not exceeding £1000, £10; for all amounts over £1000, 1 per cent. on the amount of the tender up to the maximum deposit of £500. Such deposit to be in the form of a Treasury deposit receipt, or a cheque bearing the stamp of the bank and endorsed by the manager of the bank upon which it is drawn.
Any tender which may be received without such preliminary deposit shall, unless otherwise directed by the Board, be deemed informal, and rejected accordingly.
Tenders, accompanied by the preliminary deposit, are to be enclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Boring, Contract No. 1, 2, 3, or 4," as the case may be, and they must be deposited in the tender box of the Department of Mines, Sydney, or posted in time to reach the Under-Secretary's hands before the time stated.
Specifications, general conditions of contract, and maps may be seen and procured free of charge at the Office of the Chief Inspector of Public Watering Places, Department of Mines, Sydney, and from whom further particulars can be obtained.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
SYDNEY SMITH.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES. ROADS BRANCH.
TENDERS are invited up to noon on the 31st instant for the following works:—
Supplying 2in. Blue Metal on the main Southern-road.
Approach to Rooty Hill Railway—supplying Blue Metal at Walgrove-lane.
Erecting a first-class Pile Culvert and making Approaches at Mount Druitt.
Specifications at Courthouse, Parramatta, where tenders are to be delivered to Clerk of Petty Sessions.

MILITARY. Mounted Infantry Head Quarters, Victoria Barracks, New South Wales, March 24, 1890.
CONTRACT FOR CLOTHING FOR THE NEW SOUTH WALES REGIMENT OF MOUNTED INFANTRY.
TENDERS will be received at this Office up to noon of April 14, 1890, for the following Supplies for the Public Service during the years 1890, '91, '92, and '93, namely:—
Clothing, &c., for the New South Wales Regiment of Mounted Infantry. Samples can be seen at the Quartermaster's Store, Victoria Barracks.
Printed forms of tender may be obtained at the Mounted Infantry Orderly Room.
No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons, stating that they are willing to become bound as sureties in the sum specified in the conditions of the contract for the due fulfilment thereof.
Tenders may be sent in for clothing and necessaries combined or separately.
The necessary stamp (1 guinea) must be paid for by the contractor.
In the case of the accepted tender the contractor and his sureties must call at the Mounted Infantry Office to execute and deliver the bonds within 3 days after date of acceptance, failing which the contract may either be advertised anew or another tender accepted.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Tenders to be addressed to the O. C., New South Wales Regiment of Mounted Infantry, and endorsed "Tender for Mounted Infantry Clothing."
(Signed) H. B. LASSETTER, Major Commanding Mounted Infantry Forces.

CROWN LAND SALE. GOSFORD, SATURDAY, 5th April, unsold balance of Town and Suburban Lands, at a REDUCTION OF 40 PER CENT. Business Sites, Villa Sites, Cottage Sites, Vineyard, Orchard, Garden, and Nursery Sites. TERMS SPECIALLY EASY: 25 per cent. cash, balance in 6, 9, and 12 months. For particulars, or to view the Land, apply to HENRY PARSONS, Auctioneer, Gosford.

QUEENSLAND. BORING FOR DEEP ARTESIAN WATER.
TENDERS are invited until noon of MONDAY, the 7th April next, for five thousand (5000) feet of Boring at Normanton and Isis Lagoon, near Boulia.
Tenders, accompanied by a preliminary deposit of £50 in bank notes or draft, are to be enclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to the undersigned, and must be deposited in the tender-box at the Treasury, or posted in time to reach the Under-Secretary's hands, before the time stated above.
Specifications, maps, &c., may be seen, and further particulars and schedules may be obtained free of charge, at the Office of the Hydraulic Engineer, Edward-street, Brisbane, where copies of the specification, map, general conditions of contract, &c., can be had on payment of £1 per set.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
E. B. CULLEN, Under-Secretary.
The Treasury, Brisbane, 5th March, 1890.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE.
TO ARCHITECTS, BUILDERS, AND OTHERS.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Plans of all new Buildings proposed to be connected with either the Water or Sewerage systems must first be submitted for the approval of the Engineers of the Board.
By order, REGINALD BLOXSOME, Secretary.
289 Pitt-street, 13th March, 1890.

Water Supply and Sewerage Department, 289, Pitt-street.
TENDERS are invited for the undermentioned works. For particulars see Government Gazette.

—	Date for which Tenders are invited.
Supply of Cast-iron Water Pipes, Special Castings and Stop Valves of various sizes	April 8.

ROADS. Department of Lands, Sydney, 25th March, 1890.
The attention of ALL PERSONS INTERESTED is invited to the Government Gazette of the 21st March, 1890, in which appears a notification with respect to Alignment of Albion-street, municipality of Leichhardt.
WM. HOUSTON, Under-Secretary.
NOTE.—Copies of the Government Gazette can be inspected at the Crown Land Office and the Police Office of the district.

Public Notices.

PASSOVER NIGHT AT THE MONTEFIORE HOME.
PRIZE LIST.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
The Hon. S. A. Joseph	2	2	0	David Nathan, Esq.	1	0	0
Louis Phillips, Esq., J.P.	2	2	0	M. Gotthelf, Esq.	1	0	0
James N. Hart, Esq.	2	2	0	H. S. Levy, Esq.	1	0	0
A Friend	2	2	0	H. D. Cohen, Esq.	1	0	0
Mrs. L. W. Levy	2	2	0	From a "Jew"	1	0	0
I. L. Isaacs, Esq.	1	1	0	Montague Marks, Esq.	1	0	0
A. De Lissa, Esq.	1	1	0	Wolf, Abel, and Co.	1	0	0
Mrs. W. Mears	1	1	0	A. H. Baumberg	0	10	0
Anonymous	1	1	0	L. E. Isaacs, Esq.	0	10	0
M. Aron, Esq.	1	1	0	S. H. Harris, Esq.	0	10	0
A. Rogalsky, Esq.	1	1	0	S. A. Moss, Esq.	0	10	0
Isaac Israel, Esq.	1	1	0	David Solomon, Esq.	0	10	0
G. J. Cohen, Esq., J.P.	1	0	0	Morris Moss, Esq.	0	10	0
N. S. Cohen, Esq.	1	0	0	Costa, Esq. (stamps)	0	5	0
				L. Samuel, Esq.	0	5	0
				S. Bornstein	0	5	0

ALEXANDER B. DAVIS.
Further donations may be forwarded to 121 Macquarie-street.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of ROBERT WADDINGTON, late of Bourke, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my office, Chancery-square, Supreme Court Branch, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 26th day of April next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way their claims to my Agent, V. D. H. BESNARD, of Bourke, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time above named.
THEO. POWELL, Curator of Intestate Estates.
20th March, 1890.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Will of WILLIAM BUSBY, late of Redleaf, near Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Esquire, deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Second or Further Accounts of CATHERINE ANN BUSBY and JOHN BUSBY, the executors of the will of the abovenamed WILLIAM BUSBY, deceased, have this day been filed in the proper office of this Honorable Court, and all persons having any claims against the said estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are requested to come in before me, at my office, Supreme Court House, King-street, Sydney, on or before the eleventh day of April next, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the said accounts, and if they shall think fit object thereto; and if at or before that time no exception shall be taken to the said accounts the same will be proceeded with, inquired into, and disposed of in due course of law. Dated this twentieth day of March, A.D. 1890.
T. W. GARRETT, Registrar. CAPP, KENT, and GADEN, Proctors for the Executor and Executrix, 99A Pitt-st., Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of JOHN DESMOND, late of Umberumberka, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post-office if they think fit), at my office, Chancery-square, Supreme Court Branch, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 26th day of April next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way their claims to my Agent, J. SAUNDERS, of Silverton, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time above named.
THEO. POWELL, Curator of Intestate Estates.
March 26, 1890.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of WILLIAM JOHN GEORGE, late of Broken Hill, Miner, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post-office if they think fit), at my office, Chancery-square, Supreme Court Branch, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 26th day of April next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way their claims to my Agent, C. G. GIBSON, of Broken Hill, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time above named.
THEO. POWELL, Curator of Intestate Estates.
March 26, 1890.

IN the Estate of JAMES KNIGHT, late of Torrington, near Emmaville, in the colony of New South Wales, Licensed Publican, deceased, intestate.
PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1862, Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are requested to send in particulars thereof to the Perpetual Trustee Company, Limited, at 105 Pitt-street, Sydney, the Administrators of the estate of the said deceased, or to the undersigned, on or before the 10th day of May, 1890, at the expiration of which time the said Company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.
Dated this 20th day of March, 1890.
JAMES FRANCIS THOMAS, Proctor for the said Company, Tenterfield.

NOTICE. ENGLISH, SCOTTISH, and AUSTRALIAN CHARTERED BANK.
The Half-yearly Balance of ACCOUNTS will take place on MONDAY, the 31st instant.
Customers are requested to send in their Pass Books to be written up.
FLETCHER DIXON, Manager.
E. S. and A. C. Bank, Sydney, 24th March, 1890.

THE STOCK EXCHANGE OF NEW SOUTH WALES, SYDNEY.
Members are informed that the New Exchange Room will be open for business on and after TUESDAY, March 25th instant.
FIRST CALL, 10.15 a.m.
By order. A. H. PRINCE, Secretary.

TO ARCHITECTS.
DESIGNS are required for a Municipal Building (brick), comprising council-chamber, library-room, Mayor's room, committee room, and public hall; size of building (which is to consist of two storeys) not to exceed 60ft. in length nor 35ft. in width, and its erection not to cost more than £1200. The cost of the design, if accepted, must not exceed £25. Designs will be received by the undersigned up to, and including, TUESDAY, 8th April.
EDWARD M'CULLOCH, Council Clerk.
Council-chambers, Gulgong, 22nd March, 1890.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.
On and after the 1st day of April next all work done at and all goods supplied to Pfahlert's Hotel, Wynyard-square, must be done and supplied ONLY under written order, signed by Mr. CHARLES HECHT, the Manager, and countersigned by Mr. J. G. LEVY, or claims therefor will not be recognised.
WALLACH BROS., Agents for the Proprietors.
Wynyard-square, Sydney, 25th March, 1890.

CAUTION.
I hereby give notice that I will NOT be responsible for any DEBTS incurred by any person whomsoever under any circumstances, whether the debt be incurred for anything for the personal use of the person so obtaining or for the use of others, without my written authority given for that particular purpose.
JOHN L. CASTNER.
The Steyne, Manly, March 18, 1890.

DR. WARD has REMOVED from Romaka, Blue-street, to Dalwell, West-street, St. Leonards. PATIENTS SEEN DAILY, at usual hours. March 24, 1890.

MR. WILLIAM BIGGS, Organist, All Saints', Woollahra, having left the colony for a few months, all Communications may be directed to his brother, Mr. JOHN BIGGS, Jun., Camdenhurst, Newtown.

A. DICKETTS, Doncaster Cigar Divan, 281 George-street, begs to inform his friends that he has SEVERED his CONNECTION with the above Establishment, until lately carried on by M. Silverman, and wishes that they will call on him before Thursday, 27th instant, at the same address, in respect to business transacted with him.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—I hereby notify that I will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by my WIFE, Ann Geering, or any other person, without my written authority, from this date. SIDNEY W. GEERING, Currier, Emily-street (late Denby-street), Marrickville. Emily-street, Marrickville, March 24.

I WILL Not pay DEBTS contracted by my wife. Thomas Carpenter, George-street, Waterloo.

WONDERFUL Memory Improvement System by correspon. Infor. free. R. Brown, Northcote, Vic.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
On and after SUNDAY, the 30th instant, and until further notice, the Coach leaving Manly at 6 p.m. and returning from St. Leonards 7.30 p.m. will be discontinued.
J. E. BLACK, Proprietor.

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LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—TUESDAY, MARCH 25.
In Banco.—(Before their Honors Mr. Justice Innes, Mr. Justice Stephen, and Mr. Justice Foster.)

LION FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY V. NEILD.

Their Honors delivered their reserved judgment in the above application. The defendant had moved for leave to appeal to the Privy Council against the decision of the Full Court in November last. The defendant had been ordered by the Judge sitting in Equity to pay to the plaintiff company the sum of £783 16s 1d, with interest and costs, and against that order the defendant appealed to the Full Court. The appeal was dismissed upon a technical point as to the non-printing of certain affidavits, and defendant now desired to appeal against this decision to the Privy Council. The application was opposed on the ground that the matter at issue was under the value of £500.

Mr. Justice INNES said that this was an application by the defendant for leave to appeal to the Privy Council from the decision of the Full Court. It had been contended in opposition to the application that the sum of £500 was not at issue, and, therefore, the Court wished for a little time to look at some of the authorities to which they had been referred by Mr. Lingen, as to the points of practice involved. After having consulted them, Mr. Justice Foster and himself had come to the conclusion that the matter, though by no means free from doubt, was not so clearly against the application that they would be justified in refusing defendant leave to appeal. They were the more anxious not to prevent him from appealing because, while no practical injustice could be done in granting leave, inasmuch as the Court did not intend in any way to stay proceedings on the part of the plaintiffs, who were so far successful, yet, on the other hand, if they refused leave to appeal, and if after all it should turn out that the Court were wrong in doing so, grave injustice might possibly be caused.

Mr. Justice STEPHEN differed, and said that after looking at the authorities on points of practice, he had come to the conclusion that defendant not having appealed from the order confirming the report of the Master and approving the Master's certificate, he was debarred altogether from setting up that any part of the £783 was in dispute. For that reason an appealable amount could not be in question.

Appeal allowed; defendant to give the usual security to prosecute the appeal, and plaintiffs to proceed upon their judgment upon giving security to return the amount if the decision of the Privy Council proved adverse to them.

No. 1 Jury Court.—(Before his Honor the Chief Justice and a jury of four.)

GRIFFITHS V. JENNINGS AND ANOTHER.

Mr. Robertson, instructed by Mr. Alfred Shaw, appeared for plaintiff. Defendants did not appear. This was an action brought by George Griffiths against William Jennings and Frederick George Pickering, trading as Jennings, Pickering, and Co., to recover the sum of £89, being two overdue quarterly instalments of interest on the sum of £2450, the balance due upon a mortgage.

Verdict for the amount claimed.

COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY V. SCHOLFIELD.

Mr. Rolin, instructed by Messrs. Cape, Kent, and Gaden, appeared for the plaintiff. Defendant, William Scholfield, did not appear. This was an action to recover the sum of £2400 8s 1d, amount of an overdrawn account with interest added. Verdict for the amount claimed.

RICHARDS V. COHEN.

Mr. Bourke, instructed by Mr. John Williamson, appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Cohen and Mr. Field, instructed by Mr. J. N. Fawl, for the defendant. This was an action brought by William Richards against Isaiah Reginald Cohen, of the London Mortgage Loan and Discount Bank, to recover compensation from the defendant for trespass upon his premises and wrongful seizure and conversion of certain furniture, tools, and stock-in-trade. Plaintiff, who is a saddler by trade, but who also carried on the business of a fruit vendor, resided at Darling-street, Ultimo, and he stated that in March, last year being in want of money, he went to the defendant and arranged with him for a loan of £7 10s, giving a mortgage over his furniture, goods, and effects, and undertaking to pay the loan with interest at the rate of 6s per week. After paying about eight instalments he got into arrears, and on the 29th May, while plaintiff was absent from home, defendant, by his servants, entered the house and removed all his furniture, his saddler's tools, several articles of jewellery, and a small stock of greengrocery. He also stated that a horse was removed, and even a kettle which was on the fire was taken and the water poured out: in fact, nothing was left but his wife's marriage certificate. Damages were laid at £300. Plaintiff's son stated that on the 27th May he went to defendant's office and tendered 12s, but he was told that the amount could not be received unless the receipt for the rent was also brought. It was stated that the value of the property seized was about £30, including the horse.

The defence set up was that the plaintiff, having been guilty of a breach of the covenant contained in the deed of mortgage by getting into arrear with his rent, and also by failing behind with the payment of his instalments, defendant was entitled to enter plaintiff's house and seize the goods. Evidence was also given that plaintiff committed another breach of his agreement with the defendant by selling a van which was one of the things included in the schedule to the mortgage; and that the goods seized were far below the value which the plaintiff put upon them. One witness swore that as far as he could see no jewellery was taken away, and the wearing apparel was left upon the floor. The evidence of the salesman of J. P. Lister, auctioneer, who sold the goods, was to the effect that the gross amount realised was £6 15s 9d and that there was no jewellery or wearing apparel among the goods. It was further stated that the horse which was seized was so broken down that he died, or was destroyed, shortly afterwards.

The case was not concluded when the Court rose.

No. 2 Jury Court.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice Foster and a jury of four.)

RICHARDSON V. SYDNEY AGENCY AND FINANCE COMPANY, LIMITED (PART HEARD).

Mr. Want, Q.C., and Mr. O'Connor, instructed by Messrs. Stephen, Jaques, and Stephen, appeared for the plaintiff: and Mr. Salomons, Q.C., and Dr. Sly, instructed by Messrs. Sly and Hamilton, for the defendants. This was an action brought by Tottenham Lee Richardson against the Sydney Agency and Finance Company, Limited, to recover the sum of £2387 8s 4d, alleged to have been paid to the defendants by 12 cheques between the 22nd October, 1888, and the 12th January, 1889, in connection with the winding up of the firm of Willis and Co., storekeepers, of Brewarrina and Nyngan.

The evidence on behalf of the plaintiff was resumed, and upon being called, T. E. Richardson stated that no one was interested in the action but himself, and that it had not been brought on behalf of the bank; he went with Davies to see Taylor in reference to Willis and Co.'s storekeeping business, and for the purpose of winding up the estate; Taylor told him that he was the manager of a large finance company, and said that he believed he could get a good offer and satisfactorily carry out all the accountancy part of the business; he also said that he had successfully floated several concerns as manager of the company; matters were subsequently arranged, and some time afterwards Taylor showed him a list of creditors. In cross-examination by Mr. Salomons, witness stated that the action was brought to recover moneys which were paid to Taylor by cheques signed by Messrs. Adams and Davies on his (witness's) behalf, to pay accounts against the firm of Willis and Co., and Messrs. Adams and Davies had authority from him to act; he knew that Taylor absconded from the colony, and was brought back, and that he was tried and convicted; he knew that Taylor had received certain moneys to pay creditors and had not paid them, and he supposed Taylor misappropriated them; he objected to the bank charging the items against him, and he still objected, on the ground that the creditors had not been paid; he never had anything to do with Taylor before; when he went to see Taylor he did not know whether the names "Pain and Taylor" were over the door; he never saw Nicholson, the secretary of the company, or any of the other directors about the matter; he never wrote a letter to the company, but Taylor wrote letters to him, and with the exception of two or three he had destroyed them; he believed he wrote two or three letters to Taylor. In re-examination, witness said that he did not take any active part or interfere in the management of the estate, and he was sometimes away from Sydney during the business; a bank account was opened as "T. L. Richardson, per Adams and Davies, for Willis and Co.;" the account was opened immediately after the letter of the 13th October, 1888; he remembered having a conversation with Mr. Adams and objecting to being charged with the accounts of Willis and Co. which had not been paid; he conducted the business with Taylor almost always by personal interviews; the cheques dated 3rd and 5th October were signed by witness; he thought that Taylor was present when they were drawn and signed, and as far as he remembered he handed them to Taylor; it was in connection with the estate of Willis and Co. that he signed the cheques.

Martin Franckel stated that he was in the employment of Starkey and Taylor from five or six years ago; and after the company purchased the business a board of directors carried it on; they occupied a room which had been Mr. Taylor's private room; when the board were not there Taylor occupied it; witness paid the salaries of the staff by cheques signed "Starkey and Taylor, No. 2 account;" the bank was the London Chartered Bank; he did not know what was the bank of the company.

At this stage the case was further adjourned till the following day.

In Equity.—(Before his Honor Mr Justice Owen, Chief Judge in Equity.)
(In Chambers.)

RE JOHN F. DOYLE AND SETTLED ESTATES ACT.

Mr. Lingen made application for the appointment of a guardian to infants in the above estate.

His Honor appointed Mr. A. W. S. Weaver as guardian, to consent and act under the provisions of the Settled Estates Act. Costs to be costs in the petition.

(In Court.)

WALKER V. BURLEIGH (PART HEARD.)

Mr. Lingen, instructed by Messrs. Allen and Allen, appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. Mann, instructed by Mr. Charles R. A. Smith, appeared on behalf of the defendant.

This was a suit instituted by Joseph Paul Walker against Jacob Chamberlain Burleigh to restrain the latter from collecting certain debts, and to call upon him to account for those already collected. Plaintiff, in May, 1887, accepted Burleigh as tenant of a timber mill and joinery works at Balmain, in consideration of rent at the rate of £3 10s per week, and an understanding that defendant should carry on the business in his own name, purchase all timber from the plaintiff, and collect all moneys due, and pay them to the plaintiff, who was to place such sums to the credit of defendant in an advance account, which put plaintiff in the relation of banker towards defendant. In April, 1889, in order to liquidate an overdraft account of £1600, it was verbally agreed that all the assets of the business, including stock-in-trade, machinery, and so forth, should be transferred to plaintiff, and that defendant should for the future occupy the position of foreman at a weekly salary of £3. The defendant, it was alleged, despite his altered position, had sued for and collected moneys in his own name, and the suit was brought in consequence to recover moneys so collected. Defendant, on the other hand, contended that the business was a profitable one, and that the assets were worth more than £1600, and that the plaintiff had actually received clear profit to the amount of £1500. Defendant further pleaded that at the time the second agreement was alleged to have been entered into he was in the habit of drinking to excess, which induced a kind of stupor. Thus he had no recollection of having consented to act as foreman, neither had he ever acted or received wages as such.

A number of witnesses gave evidence, tending to show that in April last defendant was a victim to drink to an extent that rendered him irresponsible for his actions. Mr. Mann then proceeded to address the Court, arguing that there was no mutuality in the alleged agreement, and that since it could not be enforced by the defendant, it could not be enforced by the plaintiff. The argument will be resumed to-day.

M'LENNAN V. HICKS.

Mr. Walker and Mr. Owen, instructed by Messrs. Creagh and Williams, appeared for the plaintiff, Donald M'Lennan; Mr. F. W. Gibson, instructed by Messrs. Russell Jones Brothers, appeared on behalf of the defendants, William Hicks and wife. This was an application made for an injunction to restrain William Hicks from proceeding with an action in the common law courts to recover £135, amount alleged to be due for the use and occupation of Hicks's property. Mr. Gibson contended that it was a most unsatisfactory proceeding for a party to come into court at that late hour and apply for an injunction to restrain proceedings fixed by mutual consent to commence at 10 a.m. next day. However, if the money were paid into court, he would allow the matter to rest at that. Mr. Walker expressed his willingness to pay in the amount, whereupon his Honor granted the injunction, and ordered the money to be paid into court before 4 o'clock next day.

His Honor will consider the question of costs on Thursday week.

In Divorce.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice Windeyer.)

HOURIGAN V. HOURIGAN.

Mr. Whitfeld appeared for the petitioner, and moved for alimony pendente lite. Mr. Davies appeared for respondent.

His HONOR made an order for the payment of 30s per week. The issues for trial were settled as marriage on the 25th June, 1881; adultery with one Kitty Stewart at Kiama and elsewhere between November 1, 1889, and January 31, 1890. The hearing of the suit was fixed for the 27th May, before his Honor, without a jury.

MILVERTON V. MILVERTON.

Mr. Ralston appeared for the petitioner and moved to dispense with further service upon co-respondent (Frederick Roberts) as he could not be found. The application was granted, and the issues for trial were settled as marriage on the 5th December, 1884, and adultery between the 1st July, 1885, and 31st December, 1889. Suit to be tried on the 27th May, without a jury.

CAVENDER V. CAVENDER.

Mr. Ralston appeared for the petitioner, and upon his application further service upon the respondent was granted. The hearing was fixed for May 27, without a jury; and the issues were settled as marriage and adultery between March 7, 1888, and the date of filing the petition.

HAMILTON V. HAMILTON.

On the application of Mr. Hanbury Davies, who appeared for the petitioner, the issues were settled as marriage on February 14, 1883; and adultery on August 7, 1889, and other acts of adultery within three months before that date. The hearing was fixed for May 27, without a jury.

DAY V. DAY.

Mr. Ralston appeared for the petitioner, and moved to dispense with further service on respondent. The application was granted, and the issues were settled as marriage and adultery. Suit to be heard on the 27th May, without a jury.

DAVIS V. DAVIS.

Mr. Whitfeld appeared for the petitioner, and upon his application the decree nisi of the 5th August last, for dissolution of marriage, was made absolute with costs.

GIBBS V. GIBBS.

On the application of Mr. Bourke, further service upon the respondent was dispensed with, and the issues were settled as marriage on January 30, 1884, and adultery between November 3, 1885, to the date of the filing of the petition. The hearing was fixed for May 27 without a jury.

DORMAN V. DORMAN.

In this case further service upon respondent was dispensed with on the motion of Mr. Ralston.

SOLEY V. SOLEY.

In this suit further service upon co-respondent, Duff, was dispensed with, as his whereabouts could not be ascertained.

(In bankruptcy.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice Manning.)

MOTION FOR RELEASE FROM GAOL.

Mr. Justice Windeyer recently made an order of ca re for the arrest of a Frenchman named Vincent Alphonse Georges Bisini des Cormiers, at the instance of Monsieur Desmazures, the debts being set down at £776, and which had been contracted at Noumea, where he carried on business. Cormiers filed his schedule, the debt being fixed at £1000 and assets £10.

The matter now came before Mr. Justice Manning in Bankruptcy, on a motion for his release from gaol. He was represented by Mr. Burns, and the petitioning creditor by Mr. Parkinson. The latter urged that under the provisions of 37 Vic., No. 11, sec. 5, "the prisoner could not be released until he found substantial security, and could not leave the colony until he received his certificate, or been lawfully released from insolvency." In his own affidavit the prisoner swore that he had £12 a month income, and that he was also in receipt of other moneys.

Mr. Burns urged that the application should be granted, as petitioner under the French law had no remedy. The plaintiff lent the defendant £200, and took a bill for £240, and petitioner could get a judgment at Noumea without serving the defendant with any notice whatever.

His Honor: I can only discharge him on getting security that he will not leave the colony, and I was anxious to see the French Consul to get some information as to the man's position.

Mr. Parkinson pointed out that the practice had been before the question of bail came up to have the prisoner examined by the Registrar, and then, having ascertained the nature of his property, to fix the bail.

His Honor could not see the object of such a course when security was all that was necessary.

Mr. Parkinson wanted full information with reference to a partnership at Noumea, and an income sworn to by the prisoner.

His Honor had only to be satisfied that the man would not leave the colony, and the proper order for him to make was that he should be discharged on entering into a security of one surety in the amount of £500. The examination might be held, and then another application made for his discharge. After he had given his evidence it was extremely likely that his Honor would order his discharge on his own recognisances.

The hearing of his evidence was fixed for Friday morning before the Registrar.

CERTIFICATE APPLICATIONS.

Re Thomas Andrew Matthews. Struck out: no appearance.
Re Robert Turner. Adjourned to the 23rd of May.
Re Patrick Foley, the younger. Certificate to issue.
Re John Clatworthy. Certificate to issue.
Re Joseph Hann. Adjourned to May 9 to file accounts.

ALLEGED FRAUD IN BANKRUPTCY.—AN INTERESTING CASE.

On last Friday the Registrar of the Bankruptcy Court, Mr. A. Henry, had occasion to commit two young men named Robert Spillings and George Richardson to gaol for giving untrue evidence on oath in the voluntary sequestrated estate of Walter Everest alias Barrington, who had carried on the business of a grocer at North Shore. The case was an exceptional one from the start, the bankrupt having to be brought up on warrant to initiate his public examination, when it was discovered that he intended leaving Sydney for England on Saturday by the Ormuz, and in course of the investigation it was found necessary to send his friends Spillings and Richardson to gaol, likewise the bankrupt, who was specially dealt with on the same day by the Chief Judge in Bankruptcy.

The bankrupt and the two witnesses were brought before the Judge yesterday in charge of gaol warders, the bankrupt being accused under the 122nd section of fraudulently concealing property of the value of £10. Mr. Nathan (Stephen, Jacques, and Stephen) appeared for the official assignee, the accused not being represented. Mr. Nathan said he had evidence to call, and after that he would ask for the committal of the bankrupt for trial under the 124th section of the act.

His HONOR said he had consulted with his brother Judges and found it would be necessary to proceed with depositions in the same way as the matter would be dealt with by a stipendiary magistrate. Under the 30th section examinations were only in the nature of the discovery of assets, and these records could not be parted with—evidence taken under the 124 section was distinct from that taken under the 30th section. His Honor then asked bankrupt if he were prepared to go on, or if he wished an adjournment to be represented by counsel, and bankrupt replied that although it was a disadvantage to him to have to proceed without counsel, he was not in the position to employ one, and preferred the case to go on. Evidence was called, and the case proceeded.

Charles H. Woodhouse, manager of St. Leonards branch of the Mercantile Bank, said he knew the man before the Court as Walter Barrington; on the 6th of March last he paid in to his credit £27 under the name of Walter Barrington, as per deposit slip in court; witness saw him, and he opened an account; afterwards he asked witness to discount a promissory note for £39; he explained the nature of the transaction, which was the sale of the balance of his stock, that of a grocer; he was then living on his means, to wit "a gentleman"; witness asked him to come in again, and meanwhile made certain inquiries; on the 18th instant he came in, paid £3 to his account, and repeated his request about discounting the bill referred to above, saying he was going home to England; witness said he could not do it, but promised to send the amount of it home when it was paid in May; he wrote a post-dated cheque for the full amount, to draw the money when due, and gave his address and said his real name was Walter Everest; witness said, "Didn't you assign your estate recently? Have you got your certificate of discharge?" and he said, "Oh no, but I can get that at any time," adding that he had paid 20s to some of his creditors and 15s to others. "Hadn't you better apply for your certificate," he queried, "as an uncertificated insolvent cannot leave the colony?" "Oh," bankrupt replied, "that is alright, I am going to see the Derby, I have relations at Reading;" witness saw him at the bank on last Friday, 21st, about 10.10 a.m.; before that a man named Spillings presented a cheque signed by Walter Barrington, for £20; witness put this through the dishonoured book; Spillings went out and joined the bankrupt on the other side of the street, after which bankrupt entered with the cheque, appearing anything but ill, and asked, "How is it my cheque has been dishonoured?" and witness said, "Didn't you get my letter last night informing you that the official assignee had claimed the amount to your credit?" He replied in the negative, regretting that witness had "given him away" in that fashion, "he did not think witness was a man of that sort"; witness remonstrated with him and said "It's no use talking about it, the official assignee has claimed the money"; the bankrupt then went out.

Bankrupt questioned witness who, in answer, said he did not promise to discount his bill at the first interview; the result of the inquiries he made were not to bankrupt's credit; the bill was not produced at the first interview; his appearance betokened excitement, his hand being shaky, otherwise he looked all right.

Robert Spillings, after being reminded by his Honor to tell the truth, said he knew the bankrupt as a grocer under the names of Everest and Barrington; on Friday last he gave witness a cheque for £20 on the Mercantile Bank; witness was present when he filled it up and signed it; while witness was endeavouring to get it cashed the bankrupt remained on the other side of the street; the bankrupt had been drinking on the evening prior to the day that his case was set down for the Bankruptcy Court; in the morning he exhibited the effects of the liquor, and went to Dr. Rorke for a certificate; witness brought the doctor's certificate to the official assignee, and went back to him; bankrupt wanted the case postponed in order to get away in the Ormus last Saturday.

George Richardson, after also receiving his Honor's reminder to tell the truth, narrated a somewhat similar story to the above witness—fully corroborative of it. Bankrupt had been drinking, but took his breakfast all right, and was walking about with him in the morning.

Dr. Rorke was then called, and stated that he was a doctor of medicine and surgery, in practice at St. Leonards; he had had a large practice for the last eight years, and had known bankrupt for some years; he had known him as Walter Everest; on Friday morning last, at 7 o'clock, he went to witness's place, and asked to see him; witness had been up all night, and when the message was brought to him he refused to see bankrupt, being tired, and besides it was not his consulting hour; another message came up to him that the man was excited and walking about the place, unable to keep quiet, and witness decided to see him, meeting him with the remark, "It's the same old thing, you have been drinking," and he said he had been on a bout the previous night. He explained that he had to appear to give evidence in a court of law, and witness said, "Indeed, if I were the plaintiff or the defendant I should not like to have you as a witness," and bankrupt remarked he had to be in court at 10 o'clock, and wanted a certificate stating that he was not fit to appear as a witness. The doctor then wrote one, viz.:—"I have this day examined Mr. Walter Everest. He informs me that he is summoned to appear as a witness in a court of law to-day, but owing to his irritable and excitable state of mind and body, I am of opinion that he is not fit to appear in the witness box. He has been under medical treatment for the last fortnight.—(Signed) CHARLES RORKE, M.D., La Vista, Walker-street, St. Leonards. 21st March, 1890." When he examined bankrupt his pulse was 140 to the minute, and under those circumstances he could not have acted as a proper witness. If he as a doctor had been asked to say whether Everest was capable of making a will, he would have said "no," because he was not *compos mentis*. Witness had no knowledge that Everest was required to attend the Bankruptcy Court. He thought it was some fight he had got into. However, he said to Everest, "When you are called upon in court, go up to the Judge or the associate, hand in the certificate and when they see what state you are in you will not be asked to go into the witness-box." Everest during the last fortnight had been to him on three occasions to be bled, he being so full-blooded, but through his heavy drinking he refused to bleed him, fearing that he might pull off the bandages during the night and bleed to death. During one of his recent fits of drunkenness Everest fell and injured his elbow, which swelled up to such an extent that witness was obliged to tap it and remove the blood, and since that Everest had been under his treatment.

His HONOR, to witness: You say in the certificate "that owing to his present excited state, &c.," and then go on to say, "he has been under medical treatment for the last fortnight." Anybody reading that would be led to think there was some connection between the two things, the medical treatment and his excited state. Does it not surprise you to hear that he was quite well at 10 o'clock last Friday morning when he went to the bank and was in the company of his comrades?

The witness: They cannot be expected to have that knowledge of psychology that a professional man has ——

His HONOR: But if a man has common sense, and if the registrar and others who saw him say that he was well enough to attend, would you not think he was?

Witness: I would indeed.

His Honor: No Judge in the land would take the certificate to mean anything else than that the bankrupt was under medical treatment and unable to be here.

Witness: I told him when I wrote it that he should take it to the Judge himself; I did not mean that he was not able to attend. I meant that he was not fit to give evidence, his pulse was so high, and he was so excited and shaky.

His HONOR: You intended him to present this himself?

Witness: I did. That was what I told him, and if your Honor will ask him now you will find it is so.

His HONOR: You believed that in giving him the certificate he would be expected to present it, and having done so, would be exempt from examination.

Witness: Certainly; I never said the man was ill; I said to him, "I cannot exempt you from the Court since you are able to come to my place;" he was not fit to appear when I saw him; he was shaking from head to foot, but you must bear in mind that he is a man of a wonderfully recuperative nature, and if he took drugs, or what are better known as "pick-me-ups," he could recover pretty quickly. I have given a great number of certificates in my time, and I am very careful in giving them. I had no wish in this matter to impose upon the Court. I have given sometimes two certificates a day to Government officials, but I never allowed any imposition on the Government.

His HONOR: It should occur to you to be a little more particular with your certificates in connection with the administration of justice. What is sufficient, perhaps, for the purposes of Government officials is one thing, and what is sufficient for the administration of justice is another. I think there is a laxity displayed in giving these certificates, and the Judges will not admit them.

Witness: I hope your Honor will withdraw the charge against me of imposing on the Court. I had no idea the man had to appear in Bankruptcy; nor that he meant to leave by the Ormuz. I heard him say some time ago that he might either take a hotel at Bathurst or go home, but nothing more.

His HONOR: I can do this. I can exempt you from any intention to impose upon the Court. If I thought there was any intention to impose upon the Court I should deal with you in a very different manner. At the same time, I cannot myself see how any person reading that certificate could come to any other conclusion but that the man was not fit to attend, and could not have been fit to give evidence any time that day. Yet he was perfectly able to give evidence that day. No man administering justice could come to any other conclusion from the certificate than that the man was not fit to give evidence. I have the highest possible opinion of your profession, but I must ask you for the future to be more cautious in expressing what you do mean.

Witness: I shall do so, your Honor.

Mr. E. M. Stephen, official assignee, gave evidence to the effect that bankrupt never told him of his intention to leave by the Ormuz, nor did he say anything about having money in the Mercantile Bank; he never led him to believe that he held a pro. note, nor that he carried on business in the name of Wm. Barrington.

His Honor then committed the bankrupt for trial to the next Criminal Court, April 8, and fixed bail to be approved in sureties of £200.

(Before the Registrar, Mr. Arthur Henry.)

CERTIFICATE APPLICATIONS.

Re Henry Bennett. The Registrar, after reading the report of the official assignee and bankrupt's affidavit in reply to it, said he was of opinion that the bankrupt had wilfully delayed surrendering his estate in order to benefit, one creditor named Plummer to the disadvantage of the rest. He has also made material omissions in his statement of affairs, viz., the lease and goodwill of the firm, which he valued at over £100. For these reasons the certificate was refused

Re Edward James Upjohn. Adjourned to April 15.

Re Adolph Pauls. The certificate was suspended for 12 months on the ground that the bankrupt had contracted a debt without a prospect of being able to meet it, and that he had failed to hand over his cash in hand to the official assignee.

PUBLIC EXAMINATION.

Re Clement Benbow. This was a public examination. The bankrupt, a dentist, of College-street, said, in reply to questions, that he was the only member of the Manly Beach Club who did not file his schedule, and because of that the club's liabilities fell upon him. He owed the Monte de Piété Company money on a bill given by a mining company of which he was a director; he gave the bill of sale to stop an action that had been commenced against him; during the first 10 years of his professional career his annual income averaged £1400; in 1888 he made £1905; and up to September, 1890, he made £920; upon the representation of the late Sir Edward Strickland that his Dora Creek property of 1000 acres was worth £12 an acre he joined security with Mr. Mitchell, but did not receive any of the money that Sir Edward Strickland got from the bank. Sir Edward used to occupy part of his house in College-street and shared the rent of it. The further examination was adjourned to April 15.

Re William D. Marshall—adjourned to April 15.
Re George Bowland—adjourned to April 1.

Examinations were concluded in the estates of Thomas E. Boland, Andrew M'Auley, Bernard Kahn, Henry Reynolds, and Ernest Miller.

SEQUESTRATION ON PETITION OF DEBTOR.

Henry D. Addington, of Penrith, storekeeper. Mr. Morris, official assignee.

CREDITORS' PETITIONS.

John W. Davies, of Serpent River, Port Stephens, v. Joseph Frankels and Walter John Perrin, of Sydney. The petition to be heard on April 10.

A. M'Arthur and Co., of York-street, v. E. M. Walsh, of Redfern. Petition to be heard on April 3.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COURT.—TUESDAY.
(Before his Honor Judge M'Farland.)

DUFF V. FERRIER.

Plaintiffs, Hugh Duff and Clements G. Collins, trading as Duff and Collins, sought to obtain the sum of £49 6s 3d, alleged to be due for goods supplied and services rendered to defendant, Frederick Ferrier, in connection with the sale of property at Newtown, known as the "Trocadero." A verdict was given for the defendant.

BYRNES V. VERNON.

Mr. Gibson appeared for plaintiff and Mr. Urquhart for defendant. James Maynard Byrnes claimed £200 from Donald Vernon, of Homebush. Plaintiff alleged that £81 5s was due to him as commission on the sale of plaintiff's property, known as Cleiver, Homebush, for £3250, and he also claimed £81 for journeys, attendances, &c. For the defence it was shown that a Mr. Young had effected the sale and had received the commission. From the evidence it appeared that Young was acting in conjunction with plaintiff, and his Honor gave a verdict for defendant, remarking that any arrangement between the plaintiff and Young must be settled between themselves.

MASON V. MARSHALL.

This was an action brought by Mason Brothers to recover from defendant Marshall the sum of £57 11s. 11d., value of goods supplied to a company or syndicate known as the Hondy Hondy Gold-mining Company. For the defence it was stated that the defendant was not a trustee of the company, and was not liable for the debt. It having been proved that defendant was one of the syndicate, his Honor gave a verdict for the full amount claimed.

CLEGG V. BOROUGH OF ROCKDALE.

Mr. W. Edmunds appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. J. Garron for defendant. This was an action brought by Miss Clegg to obtain £200 damages from the defendant borough for their negligence in repairing the road, whereby plaintiff had sustained severe injuries, and had incurred considerable expense for medical attendance, &c., and had been unable to follow her occupation for some time. Dr. Clay deposed that he had attended to the plaintiff, who had suffered much pain through a severe fracture of the leg and shock to the system. Mr. M'Leod, a contractor, was examined. He knew Frederick-street, Rockdale, which was out of repair. In answer to plaintiff's counsel, he said that £40 would repair the road; was aware that £100 had been voted by the council for a banquet, and about £5000 had been spent for a town hall. At this stage his Honor adjourned the case until this morning.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26.

No. 1 Jury Court.—Richards v. Cohen, part heard; Carroll v. Mostyn, M'Elhone v. M'Mahon.

No. 2 Jury Court.—Richardson v. Sydney Agency and Finance Company, part heard; Nicholls v. Saywell, Thompson v. M'Kenzie, Salomons v. Harris, Patent Asphaltum Company of N.S.W. v. the Bondi Aquarium Company, Limited.

No. 3 Jury Court.—Hicks and Another v. M'Lennan.

Chamber List.—At 9.30 a.m.: In re W. T. A. Shorter gent. one, &c.; Desmazures v. Societe le Nickel Cie Anonyme Siege Social à Paris Branche à Noumea; exparte Ellen Stapleton, habeas corpus; Victorian Phillip Stephen Photo Litho and Typographic Process Company v. Davis; in re Adam Reader, M. S. Hyde caveator; Power v. Union Steamship Company of New Zealand; O'Sullivan v. Johnson and others; Union Bank of Australia v. Cook, E. Cook claimant; Lancaster v. Palser; in re J. F. Fitzhardinge gent. one, &c.

Prothonotary's Office.—Before Prothonotary: Terry v. Jennings, 11; Watkins v. Alison, 11.30; Mason v. Logan, 1.45. Before Chief Clerk: The Sheriff v. Creagh and another, 10.30; Humphreys v. Austin, 10.45.

In Divorce.—Before the Registrar: Hourigan v. Hourigan, 2.

Master's Office.—At 10.30 a.m.: Hankins v. Fullerton, to proceed on accounts. At 11 a.m.: Statham v. Statham, for directions. At 11.30 a.m.: Re Blandford Proprietary School, for directions. At 12.30 p.m.: Arthur v. Viverr, to fix reserves. At 2 p.m.: Ross v. Wiley, to proceed on accounts. At 3 p.m.: Mercantile Bank v. Reynolds, to proceed on accounts. Before the Deputy Registrar.—At 10.30 a.m.: Israel v. Atlas Engineering Company, to tax costs. At 12 noon: Atlas Company re Paul, to tax costs. At 2 p.m.: Same re Doran, to tax costs. At 3 p.m.: Atlas Engineering Company, re application by shareholders, to tax costs.

In Equity.—Before his Honor the Chief Judge.—At 11 a.m.: Walker v. Burleigh (part heard), Swift v. Hann and others, Davis v. Ostermeyer, Drew, and Co., Clark v. M'Leay and others. Before Mr. Justice Manning.—At 10 a.m.: Lupton v. Elliot (for order in terms of prayer), re John F. Doyle and Settled Estates Act (petition for power to sell). At 11 a.m.: Ross v. Philp (hearing).

In Bankruptcy.—Before the Judge in Bankruptcy: Robert Henry Hewitt, adjourned application for certificate of discharge, from 4/3/90 (objections filed). Before the Registrar in Bankruptcy: Richard Hughes, adjourned certificate application; William Griffiths, adjourned certificate application; William Osborne and Edward Ramsay ex parte William Osborne, adjourned certificate application; Robert Kunstman, adjourned certificate application; James Sherry, adjourned certificate application; Andrew Thomson, adjourned certificate application; William Hibberd, certificate application; William Brandon, certificate application; William Bradshaw, single meeting and public examination; John Michael Cortiss, single meeting and public examination; John Joseph Walsh, single meeting and public examination; Andrew M. Duncan, single meeting and public examination; John Newell, single meeting and public examination; Anthony George Oldfield, single meeting and public examination; August Henry Theodore Smitz, adjourned public examination; William Elder, adjourned public examination; Francis William Maynard, adjourned public examination; William Bulfin, adjourned public examination; Sidney Stewart, adjourned public examination; Saul Kops, adjourned examination under section 30; Thomas Wearne, examination of witness under section 30.

DISTRICT COURT, DARLINGHURST.
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26.
(Before his Honor Judge M'Farland.)

Clegg v. Municipal District of Rockdale (part heard), Needleman v. Kaufman, M'Arthur and wife v. Watson, same v. Creer and wife, Smith v. Commissioners for Railways, King v. Ollewill, Horsford v. Bourke, Searle v. Petersen.

LICENSING BENCH.

At the sitting of the Licensing Bench at the Central Police Court yesterday afternoon Mr. Johnson, S.M., and the Hon. J. Macintosh were present, and the following business was disposed of:—New Publicans' Transfers: William Davis to Ralph Powell, Tradesmen's Arms; David Moon to Peter Wallace, Madeira Inn; Walter Hogan to William Davis, Crown Hotel; Edward Purcell to Edward Dawson, London Tavern. Renewed booth license: W. H. Ireland, Burwood sports. New booth licenses: James E. Marguard, Sydney Liedertafel; C. F. Stratton, Moorefield races; C. F. Stratton, Moorefield races. Auctioneers' special licenses: W. F. Dobbin, Redfern, and G. L. Uhr, Redfern. Renewed colonial wine licenses: William Fontani, 56 Park-street; Samuel Kime, 124 Market-street; J. O. Bardsley, 60 Harris-street.

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POLICE.

Mr. Johnson, S.M., presided in the Charge Division of the CENTRAL POLICE COURT yesterday. William Malley, 20, for having damaged three pints of milk, to the extent of 4½d, the property of the Fresh Food and Ice Company, was ordered to pay the damage, and fined 5s, or in default 21 days' imprisonment. Charles Thompson was sentenced to one month's imprisonment, with hard labour, for having stolen a [illegible] valued 3s. Henry Leer was charged with having broken into the house of Henry Ford, No. 72 Mitchell-street, Glebe, with intent to commit a felony. The evidence was to the effect that the prosecutor was a night-watchman. About 3 p.m., on the 19th, he was in bed when the prisoner opened the door and entered the room. Prosecutor said, "Hallo!" and the prisoner ran down the stairs. Prosecutor followed, and fired at him with a revolver as he made a hasty exit through the front door. Some of the boxes in the other rooms had been ransacked, and some stamps and a brooch were missing. Prisoner reserved his defence, and was committed for trial.

Mr. B. Lee, D.S.M., presided at the WATER POLICE COURT. Margaret Hennessy, or O'Brien, was charged with stealing a tablecloth, the property of Peter M'Glinchy, value 4s. Prosecutor keeps an hotel, and was sitting in a room opposite the dining-room, where the prisoner was. M'Glinchey heard a noise in the dining-room, and on going there to see what it was, he saw the prisoner making off with the tablecloth under her arm. Accused was sent to gaol for two months with hard labour.

Mr. C. Delohery, D.S.M., presided at the REDFERN POLICE COURT. Patrick Connelly, 30, labourer, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour for assaulting a constable whilst in the execution of his duty. James Murphy, 26, dealer, charged with assaulting Michael Sinbazi, and robbing him of £2 2s, was committed to take his trial at the Quarter Sessions.

CHARGE OF ATTEMPTED MURDER.

At the Central Police Court yesterday afternoon George Simmons was charged, on remand, with having shot at Maria Martha Beale with intent to commit murder.

Constable Slamon stated that he was present when the prosecutrix made the following statement at the police station :—"Mr. Simmons has been living at my place for the last eight or nine months; he has frequently asked me to marry him, and I refused; in consequence of his conduct I ordered him away; I sent for a policeman, and ejected him from my house; I secured all the doors; shortly afterwards a young woman residing with me went out to do some shopping, and left the front door open; the prisoner walked through the house into the back yard, where I was washing; I again ordered him out, and told him I would not allow him to stop any longer here; he then turned and walked along the passage leading to the front room and I followed him; just as he stepped into the front room he had his hand in his pocket, and I heard something click; he immediately pulled his hand out of his pocket and I saw something in it, and immediately heard a shot; at the same time I stepped behind the door of the passage; I then rushed past him into the front room, and Mr. Simmons fired another shot after me; the front door was open, and I ran into Mr. Caulfield's, and took refuge there." After she concluded this statement she turned to prisoner and said, "You are a bad, wicked man—you meant to send me before my Maker without a moment's warning."

Prosecutrix was questioned by the S.M., and denied that the prisoner had shot at her, and said that she did not remember what statement she made to the police.

Mr. Johnson said that he was convinced that the prosecutrix had gone into the box and perjured herself. There was no use in sending on a case in which the principal witness declined to give evidence. He was compelled to discharge the man, and if he shot the prosecutrix it would be her own fault.

INQUESTS.

ADELAIDE-COLONIST COLLISION.

The inquest into the circumstances attending the death of Frederick Taylor, seaman, who was drowned on the afternoon of the 1st instant by the harbour collision between the steamer Adelaide and the schooner Colonist, was continued at the Coroner's Court yesterday. Mr. Heydon appeared in the interests of the captain and owners of the Adelaide, and Mr. Campbell watched the case on behalf of the owners and captain of the Colonist.

Charles Ricketts, deposed that on Wednesday last the previous witness offered to wager 10s with him that the Adelaide was in fault; no money was produced and no bet was made.

William Humphreys, seaman on the barque Princess Alexandra, stated that on the afternoon of the 1st instant his vessel was lying near Garden Island; he noticed the schooner Colonist coming up the harbour; witness heard a whistle, and, upon looking in the direction from whence it proceeded, saw the steamer Adelaide; both vessels were about half a mile away at this time; from the time witness first saw the Colonist till the collision occurred, the schooner did not make any alteration in her course; about 30 minutes elapsed from the sounding of the Adelaide's whistle till the collision took place; the Adelaide was travelling about three or four miles an hour when witness first observed her, but when the contact came she was at a dead stop; the steamer came into contact with the schooner on the starboard side of the Colonist's main hatch.

By Mr. Campbell: When witness first noticed the Colonist she was not close hauled; the sails of the Colonist were in the same position at the moment of collision as they were when the schooner was abreast of Bradley's Head; when the vessels struck witness heard a voice say, "Lower away a boat," and he then saw a boat lowered on the starboard side of one of the vessels; he could not say from which vessel the boat was lowered; the Colonist "luffed" about 30 seconds prior to the collision; if she had luffed five minutes before a collision would have been avoided; witness did not think he was three-quarters of a mile from the scene of the collision.

Matthew John Williams, chief officer of the steamer Adelaide, stated that he held a master mariner's certificate issued by the Marine Board of Victoria; he had held a certificate for about three years; he had had 19 years' experience at sea; was on board the Adelaide on the afternoon of the 1st instant; when the Adelaide was about a cable's length past Fort Denison, the Colonist was three or four cables below Bradley's Head; the Adelaide had Point Piper slightly on the starboard board; the Colonist was apparently heading for Fort Denison; witness was on the hurricane deck on the lookout; when the Colonist was abreast of Bradley's she changed her course towards Kirribilli Point; subsequently, when about 800ft. separated the vessels, the Colonist again changed her course; one blast of the whistle on the Adelaide was then blown; the steamer was then travelling about 2 knots an hour; about six or seven seconds after the Adelaide's whistle was sounded the Colonist "luffed up" into the wind; another blast was then blown on the Adelaide; at this time the Colonist was crossing the Adelaide's bows at very nearly right-angles, and was travelling about 4 knots; witness looked over the side of the vessel and saw the backwash; he knew then that the engines were going astern; before the collision occurred the Adelaide was at a dead stop; the Colonist with her starboard side struck the stem of the Adelaide; within a point the vessels were at right angles, at the moment of collision; after the contact witness went on the bridge and saw by the compass that the wind was about south-east; the Adelaide could not have avoided a collision by going to starboard because of the number of small craft on that side.

At this stage the inquiry was adjourned till to-day.

MARKET GARDENERS.

A meeting of market gardeners, presided over by Mr. Alderman Judd, of Rockdale, was held at the Agricultural Hotel, Haymarket, last evening, for the purpose of protesting against the contemplated action of the Mayor and City Council in removing the fruitgrowers from the stands they now occupy in the York-street Markets to the Belmore Markets. The utmost unanimity characterised the proceedings.

Mr. JOHN BOWMER, J.P., moved the first resolution,—"That in the opinion of this meeting any action on the part of the Mayor and City Council which would tend to lessen the accommodation of the market gardener would be injurious to his interests, and would add much to his inconvenience and expense; and that this meeting earnestly protests against any such action." The speaker contended that Mr. Burdekin was aware of the heavy blow he would be inflicting upon the market gardeners by the adoption of his projected scheme.

Mr. Stephen, M.L.A., spoke in a similar strain.

The resolution, on being put to the meeting, was unanimously carried.

It was further decided that a deputation should interview the Mayor and explain the results that would follow the adoption of his proposed scheme.

HYDE PARK FOOTPATHS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—The footpaths in Hyde Park are no doubt very nice in fine weather, but those whose business may have taken them across the park during the late rains, especially over that portion of the path running into Market-street, must have become painfully aware that these paths are very imperfectly formed for wet weather. The streams of water, instead of coursing down the sides as they should do if the paths were properly crowned, pour across the centre in volume almost strong enough to bear one off his feet. How ladies fare in getting over such paths can be imagined.

March 25. I am, &c., VIATOR.

MEETINGS.

WATER AND SEWERAGE BOARD.

A meeting of the Water and Sewerage Board was held yesterday under the presidency of Mr. Rowe. The president congratulated Messrs. Young and Graham on their re-election to their seats on the board, and also Mr. Darley, who had been reappointed by the Government. This, he said, showed that the public had confidence in them. It was reported that the receipts for the week amounted to £2173 17s 3d. The number of pipes laid for the week was 693, covering one mile 373 yards. The clerk reported that a conference had taken place between the chairman of the Fire Brigades Board, and the president of the Water and Sewerage Board, in reference to the supply of water for the extinction of fires. The matter of the screw-down hydrant was referred to, the use of the wheel for turning on the water being strongly recommended, instead of using the old-fashioned key. It was stated that if the wheels were fitted to all the hydrants it would not then be necessary for the engines to carry a large key as the fireman after attaching the hose to the hydrant could turn on the water at once. The supply of water in Sussex-street was said to be disgraceful as exemplified at a recent fire. The supply of water in Bridge-street, at the Colonial Secretary's office, was also very defective. The pressure had been tried several times with bad results on each occasion. It was explained on maps to the members of the Fire Brigade Board that amelioration works were already approved by the Sewerage Board, and that when finished there would be no cause for complaint. A return was presented to the board of persons using water without having paid special fees. Leave was granted a number of workmen under the board for the Easter encampment. It was reported that preliminary tests had been made of the Worthington engines and pumps. There were no defects beyond the stiffness invariably found in starting any new pumping engines. The fracture of the main at Moore Park gates was also reported. The new pumps, by their greater power, would cause a larger pressure to be exerted on the mains, raising the present pressure of 60lb to a calculated pressure of 83lb. It was resolved to write a letter to the borough council of Waverley, requesting them not to deposit nightsoil within the sewerage reserve of Bondi. Accounts were passed to the amount of £34,994.

PROTECTIONIST MEETING.

An open-air meeting, under protectionist auspices in connection with the revision of the new electoral rolls, was last evening addressed by Mr. Traill, M.L.A., from the balcony of the Exchange Hotel, at the corner of Crown and Collins streets, Surry Hills. Mr. Traill set himself to prove that the interests of the working-classes would be better guarded under a protective than under a freetrade policy. He, however, did not advocate a greater degree of protection so far as the Australian colonies were concerned, than would be sufficient to place them on an equal footing: but against workmen in the older centres of population, against those who worked at starvation wages he desired to see his fellow-colonists well protected. The persons who benefited by freetrade were the importers—men who bought in the cheapest markets of the world, and then, after payment of the costs incidental to importation, raised the selling price by about 30 per cent. Thus retail purchasers had to pay quite as much for imported goods as for the local manufactures. But if a duty, say of 20 per cent., were imposed upon the foreign and (to the importer) cheap article; then in place of going to the foreign markets, wholesale dealers would immediately turn their attention to Australian manufactories, and thus local industries would be fostered, while the masses would be enabled to purchase at a smaller cost than formerly. It was, he felt thoroughly convinced, to the interests of the working-classes that a protective policy should be adopted, and not only to the interest of the working-classes, but to the colony as a whole, for protection was perhaps the most important factor in the building up of local industries. Mr. Traill briefly referred to the Georgian theory of land nationalisation. He had very great respect for Mr. George, admiration even, but could only look upon the single-tax theory as inherently bad. Land nationalisation was a good thing and to be commended, but any attempt to recover to the State, without compensation, land which had been bought and paid for was sheer robbery. Even granting that the State possessed every foot of land in the country, of what avail could it be to those who had not the capital or the necessary knowledge to put it to proper use. At the conclusion of Mr. Traill's address, which was warmly received, a motion was carried pledging the meeting to do all in its power to secure the adoption of the "one man, one vote" principle.

PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY.

The thirteenth annual meeting of the Pharmaceutical Society of New South Wales was held at the Rooms, 142 Phillip-street, yesterday. Mr. T. B. Melhuish occupied the chair. About 25 members were present. The annual report was read showing the work accomplished by the society during the past year. Special reference was made to the deputations which had waited upon the Minister for Public Instruction in reference to the pharmacy department of the Technical College. The Colonial Secretary had also been waited upon re the Poisons Act. On each occasion very favourable replies had been received. The treasurer submitted the annual balance-sheet, which was considered to be of a highly satisfactory character.

The Chairman, in moving the adoption of the report, congratulated the society upon its present flourishing condition. He spoke at some length with reference to the deputations to Ministers, and to the favourable replies, remarking that the suggestions of the society re the Poisons Act were about to be gazetted. A number of persons were in the habit of criticising the actions of the society, and remarked that they could not see that the society was of any benefit to the trade; he would ask such persons to join and assist them in their efforts to effect reforms.

Mr. J. S. Abrahams seconded the adoption of the report, which was agreed to.

The rules and regulations amended by a sub-committee having been adopted at a meeting of the council were finally confirmed.

Messrs. K. Senior, G. Wells, A. Birney, L. P. Williams, and G. Ellis were elected members of the council for the ensuing year.

Votes of thanks having been passed to the chairman and officers, the meeting adjourned.

The monthly meeting of the New South Wales Band of Hope Union was held in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, on March 18. The attendance was not large. Mr. Brown (one of the vice-presidents) occupied the chair, and some lengthy discussions took place. The advisability of starting a paper in connection with the union was put before the meeting, but the consideration of the matter was postponed to next month.

Under the auspices of the Evening Star Lodge, I. O. G. T., Parramatta, Bro. R. Crabb delivered one of his popular lectures in the Centenary Schoolroom, Parramatta, on Monday evening, when Bro. J. Saunders presided. Mr. Crabb dealt with the drink question in its various phases. At the conclusion of the lecture several candidates were initiated.

TOMMY RYAN IN COURT.

The well-known aboriginal, Tommy Ryan, was again brought before the Water Police Bench yesterday, charged with escaping from the custody of the police at Grafton, and with shooting at Constable Hadley, with intent to murder him. The blackfellow presented a rather cleaner appearance than when he was brought up last week. Sub-Inspector Hyam had charge of the case.

Constable Brown deposed to arresting Tommy after his last escape and bringing him to Sydney; he was brought by the overseer of the Yugilbah station, on the Clarence River, and was bound.

Constable Alfred Hadley, stationed at Copmanhurst, Clarence River, said that on the 24th of January he received information and went to Gordon Brook; he went to a camp and called out "Tommy," when the blackfellow rushed out of the back and made for the bush; witness followed and fired his revolver after him, but he could not see, as it was very dark; he afterwards came up with the aboriginal and charged him with escaping from Grafton Gaol; witness and another man, after a terrible struggle, succeeded in handcuffing the prisoner; he was then taken to Copmanhurst, where he was locked up; he was kept there for a few days; witness went to Ryan's cell to handcuff him, and had got one on when Tommy snatched his hands away; he pushed witness into a corner, and then felt for his (witness's) revolver; witness called out for help and a young man named Ryan appeared; the two grappled with the darkie, but before they could throw him he had drawn the revolver and fired; the shot entered his (Hadley's) face just in front of his ear and passed out from his mouth, leaving a long wound on the cheek; they all struggled together again and got into another room, where Tommy shook off the young man, and fired again at him (Hadley) with the revolver jammed against his ear; after he had fired he struck the witness over the head twice with the butt of the revolver; he then managed to escape; witness was taken to the Sydney Hospital, where he received medical and surgical treatment; Tommy took the revolver with him when he escaped.

Charles Ryan, stationed at Copmanhurst Police station, corroborated Hadley's evidence in every particular.

By the Bench: Tommy had the revolver in his hand when the first shot was fired.

Mrs. Hadley stated that on the morning of January 27 she heard shots in the lockup at Copmanhurst, and on going to the door was met by Tommy; witness put her hand up to Tommy's throat when he placed the muzzle of the revolver under her chin; she let him pass then, and he escaped; he said nothing all the time.

Accused was cautioned, and said that only one shot was fired. He was then committed for trial at the Central Criminal Court, to be held on April 8 next.

In sickness and in health give your children Arnott's Milk Arrowroot Biscuits.—[Advt.]

AMUSEMENTS.

DRAMATIC NOTES.

"New Lamps for Old," the new play by Mr. Jerome K. Jerome, with which, on February 6, Miss Cissy Grahame commenced her management of Terry's Theatre, is a lamentable artistic failure, whatever the result with the public may be. That Mr. Jerome has a keen sense of fun, no one can deny who has read his recent books satirising stage convention, ruining the illusion that is the stock-in-trade of the dramatist, deliberately "burning the boats" that must carry him across—if he is ever to cross—the river in stage success, and looking at the serious things of life through the wearisome eyeglass of the comic man. But his new play is faultily ambitious and "splendidly null." Prior to its advent, a daring exposure of the new philosophy of Ibsen, a total rout of the advertised convictions of Mrs. Mona Caird on marriage, a ruthless upsetting of the modern affectations that have their catchword in "individualism," and their object in free love, had been expected. But with Mr. Jerome's new piece it is a case of a great cry and little wool, a vast amount of talk and very little result, a serious attempt to be funny, and, the sad sum total, a well-intentioned but somewhat feeble farce. It is certainly not beyond the limits of possibility that, notwithstanding all that has been said about Ibsen's new philosophy and the modern fad of "individualism" the unenlightened audience of the present will refuse to recognise even a gleam of satire in Mr. Jerome's work, and will only sit in open-mouthed astonishment at a laboured farce in which a certain catch of pseudo-clever dialogue is at loggerheads with the action of the players, and the comedian of the company is whirled up and down on a nightmare "lift" during the whole act of a play, saying nothing and pretending to console his speechless servitude with tarts and mutton bones. The plot of the new piece by the author of "Stage-struck" and "Three Men in a Boat," is extremely nasty. "New Lamps for Old," it is to be hoped, will never find its way to this country, so no more need be said on the subject.

Mr. J. L. Toole and a party of private friends were entertained at dinner, on February 13, by his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, at the Garrick Club. Later on in the evening Mr. Henry Irving gave the very last "stirrup-cup" in the old Beef-steak Room attached to the Lyceum Theatre, where Mr. Toole took his final farewell of his artistic friends in England. He left for Paris by the mail train of the following morning, proceeding thence to Monte Carlo. Thence he journeyed, by way of Genoa, Rome, and Naples, to Brindisi, there to catch the P. and O. Britannia. Mr. Toole was accompanied as far as Brindisi by Mr. Clement Scott, the well-known dramatic critic, and by Mr. Edmund Routledge, the publisher. Among his companions on board ship is a son of Mr. F. C. Burnand, who has been recommended to take a sea voyage on account of his health.

Sardou's drama, "La Tosca," has been withdrawn from the Garrick Theatre, in favour of a new play by Mr. Sydney Grundy, entitled "A Pair of Spectacles."

Mr. Robert Buchanan, whose successful adaptation of Richardson's "Clarissa Harlowe" was noted last week, has written a new romantic, blank-verse play, partly founded on historical fact, for the Haymarket Theatre. The new piece is said to require immense preparation in the way of scenery and costume.

At a meeting held by the members of the Carl Rosa Opera Company on the 6th ultimo, it was decided to establish a sick fund, for the relief of members of the operatic profession, in memory of the late Carl Rosa. It was also decided that a bust of the late impressario should be placed in the Court Theatre, Liverpool, of which Mr. Rosa was lessee for several years.

It is announced that Miss Myra Kemble has purchased the Australian rights of "Dr. Bill." This is a farcical piece, adapted by Mr. Hamilton Aidé from the French, which has made an immense success at the Avenue Theatre. Miss Kemble will probably play the part created in London by Miss Fanny Brough.

Mr. Charles Wyndham continues to carry all before him in America. He and Miss Mary Moore, with their company, made a brilliant success in "David Garrick" at Philadelphia during the second week in February. They were recalled eight times on the first night. Mr. William Terriss and Miss Millward have returned to London after their tour with "Roger la Honte" (now being played in Melbourne by Mr. Charles Warner under the title of "A Man's Shadow") in America. The first American company who played "The Gondoliers" in New York has been disbanded, Mr. D'Oyly Carte having organised a much better company for the representation in the United States of Messrs. Gilbert and Sullivan's new opera. "Master and Man," the new melodrama by George R. Sims and Henry Pettitt, has been produced in New York by Mr. Richard Mansfield. Miss Eastlake was taken ill, while acting in Chicago, from a severe attack of Russian influenza. The divorced wife of Frank Bangs, a well-known American actor, is dead. She was a daughter of Mr. Singer, the millionaire of sewing-machine fame.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendal's American tour was more than half over on February 17, on which date, at the Fifth Avenue Theatre, they commenced their closing engagement in New York. Between this and their first appearance in that city, they played in ten other cities, including Montreal and Toronto, and with unvarying success, their receipts covering about £2000 per week. In every city they visited except New York they have presented most of the plays in their American répertoire, viz.: "The Ironmaster," "A Scrap of Paper," "The Weaker Sex," "The White Lie," "The Queen's Shilling," and "Impulse." The most favoured plays, and which drew largest houses, have been "The Scrap of Paper" and "The Ironmaster." In fact, it is stated that those two alone would have sufficed for the whole American tour; but Mr. and Mrs. Kendal, ambitious of doing more than merely making a financial success, were desirous of showing their American admirers their work in other pieces. After their second New York visit, they were to go direct to San Francisco. They were then to play in several western cities on their return trip, the tour ending in Toronto in the first week in May. They will sail home in the latter part of May. A contract has been entered into again with Manager Frohman for another visit to America next season, which will begin with a long engagement in New York. It is to be hoped these distinguished players may be induced to visit Australia at no distant date.

THE ORCHESTRAL CONCERTS.

The orchestral concert which is to be given on Saturday afternoon next will include Weber's "Der Freyschütz" (overture), Massenet's intermezzi "Des Erynnies," Saint-Saëns's "Danse Macabre," and the "Carneval Romaine" of Berlioz, besides M. Kowalski's "Concert Fantasia" for pianoforte and orchestra, the solo part of which will be played by the composer.

The management announces that the box plan of Her Majesty's Theatre for the grand concert to be given on Good Friday night will be opened to-day.

LIEDERTAFEL CONCERT.

The Sydney Liedertafel announces its 49th concert (smoke) for this evening. The concert will take place at the Exhibition Building in Prince Alfred Park. Particulars of the tram service to Redfern are stated in the society's advertisement.

THEATRE ROYAL.

The management have very wisely decided on producing "The Silver Falls" on Saturday next in place of "The Shaughraun," as originally announced. The new play, by Messrs. George R. Sims and Sydney Grundy, has been a great success in London and Melbourne, and its performance here will be awaited with considerable interest. "The Octoroon" will be played for the last time on Friday.

HER MAJESTY'S.

"My Jack," which is now in the fifth week of its run, will be kept in the bills until to-morrow (Thursday) night week. This startling, amusing, and sensational piece, will be succeeded on Saturday, April 5, by "Now-a-days," a successful London drama, in which Mr. William Rignold will make his first appearance in Australia.

CRITERION.

The last night of "Ours" takes place on Friday night. On that evening Messrs. Brough and Boucicault terminate their present Sydney season. A special morning performance of "Caste" will be given to-day. "The Sultan of Mocha," interpreted by the opera company under the direction of Mr. Henry Bracy, will be presented here on Saturday next.

STANDARD.

Mr. George C. Miln appears in his remarkably fine impersonation of Othello to-night and Friday, playing Iago to-morrow. A benefit is to be tendered the actor on the afternoon of Saturday week, April 5, at the Theatre Royal, which has been lent for the purpose by Mr. George Musgrove. Full particulars will be duly announced.

A SERVICE OF SONG.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather on Monday evening, a very fair audience assembled in St. Michael's Church, Botany-street, Surry Hills, to hear a rendering of "Little Nell," a service of sacred song and moral reading compiled by Mr. Ironside from Dickens' "Old Curiosity Shop." The reading at intervals was interspersed with a number of solos, duets, and refrains, and the manner in which they were rendered showed ability. The programme comprised 17 items, and being adapted to the various incidents in the history of Dickens' little favourite, was listened to with marked attention, forming on the whole an excellent evening's entertainment. The reading was given by the Rev. E. D. Madgwick, Mr. F. Ironside accompanying on the church organ.

SCHOOL OF ARTS.

The picturesque concert at the School of Arts last evening was very poorly attended, the rain of course having prevented the usually large audience that assembles at these concerts. The programme was devoted to scenes on the Mediterranean and on the Continent, and the musical and dramatic portions were contributed to most effectively by Miss Glendenning, Miss Tilly Salinger, and Messrs. Gilpin, Bent, Mons. de Willimoff, F. James, and G. F. Mitchell.

The performance announced to be given by Texas Jack on a vacant piece of ground in Pitt-street has been postponed until next Saturday week. The reason for the postponement is the unpropitious state of the weather.

A successful concert was held in the Gladesville Presbyterian Church on Saturday evening. The Mayor of Ryde presided. The entertainment was in aid of the building fund. Misses De Boos, Wynn, Walther, O'Donell, with Messrs. Moss, W. and T. O'Donnell, contributed songs and recitations. A pleasant feature of the meeting was the presentation to Mr. O'Donnell of a gold chain and locket in recognition of his services as organist of the church. Mr. George Milne, in the name of the subscribers, handed over the gift, and in a brief address referred to Mr. O'Donnell's qualities as an organist and a gentleman.

The drama, "His Natural Life," was played in the Victoria Theatre, Parramatta, on Monday evening, to a fair house.

TRADES MOVEMENTS.

BOOT TRADE.

About 100 members attended the usual meeting of the Boot Trade Union, held at Fullerton's Rooms, Pitt-street, last evening. Mr. H. Ould occupied the chair. A letter was read from Davenport and Co., of Marrickville, announcing their decision to pay the union's price in future for "kip" work. A letter was received from the Armidale branch, stating that several difficulties had occurred there. Correspondence was read from the Tenterfield branch in reference to the difficulties with the employers re the apprentice question, and stating that several more hands had been engaged on six months' agreement since the commencement of the dispute, and that the shop secretary had been discharged on account of the action he took in the matter. The letter stated that all the men stopped work, but had since resumed pending further instructions. It was decided to call all the men out, and the committee was empowered to pay strike money. The secretary was directed to obtain full information as to the men who had accepted engagements during the dispute. About 150 members were elected, making a total membership of nearly 1000. Messrs. Harris and Porter, who were appointed to form a branch of the union at Goulburn, reported that a successful meeting had been held on Saturday last, 72 members being enrolled, and there was every probability of the remaining employees becoming members. The rules of the recently formed female branch were considered. It was decided to call a meeting of non-union clickers, rough-stuff cutters, and operators, with a view to inducing them to join the union. A notice of motion was tabled re the alteration of the rules. The shop secretaries' report, showing the number of union and non-union men employed at the various factories, was tabled; and it was pointed out that more than three-fourths of the men were unionists.

BAKERS' STRIKE.

Nothing of any importance has occurred in reference to the bakers' strike during the past few days. Lists, showing the union and non-union employers, are frequently being published, and are being freely distributed amongst the members of the various trade organisations. Only about 30 men are now receiving principle money. Last evening the tailors voted £5 towards the men. The Boot Trade Union last night decided to deal only from the union employers.

The fortnightly meeting of the Tailors was held at the Trades Hall last evening. Mr. P. Strong presided. £5 was voted to the Coal Cliff miners, and a similar amount to the Operative Bakers. It was decided to pay a £5 call on the Trades Hall shares.

The Plumbers held their weekly meeting at the Swan-with-two-Necks Hotel last evening. Messrs. Williams and Killoughby were appointed as delegates to a conference re the People's Bank. A report was read from the Trades Hall council delegates. A letter was received from the London Immigration Office asking for information re trade matters. It was decided to supply all information asked for.

The Ironmoulders met at the Trades Hall last night. A letter was read from the Queensland Union stating that their secretary had been delegated to attend a meeting at Maryborough re a dispute there. The picnic committee reported that a balance of £6 was in hand after paying all expenses.

DINNER TO MR. J. W. HUNT, CHAIRMAN OF THE VICTORIAN ALLIANCE.

On Monday evening the central committee of the Local Option League, with which were representatives of nearly all the temperance societies, invited Mr. J. W. Hunt, J.P., who is chairman of the executive of the Victorian Alliance, and his wife to a dinner at the Hôtel Métropole, in honour of their visit to Sydney. An excellent repast was provided by the management, and, minus any intoxicants, a very pleasant evening was spent. The chair was taken by the Rev. F. B. Boyce, who, after grace being said by the Rev. Thos. Kench, late of London, proposed the health of "Her Majesty," which sentiment was warmly received by the company singing a verse of the National Anthem.

The Chairman said they welcomed Mr. Hunt and his wife as true friends of the temperance cause to Sydney. They knew Mr. Hunt as one of the foremost workers in Victoria, and the advanced position of the party in that colony was largely due to Mr. Hunt. They should thank God and take courage for the advance made. In America, from Maine standing alone as the prohibition State, seven of the great states of America were now under the prohibition flag; while in the past decade in Canada more than 1,000,000, through the medium of local option, were now under prohibition.

Mr. Hunt, who was enthusiastically received, thanked the friends present for their kind expressions of fellowship. He trusted that at the end of the next decade such progress would be made that the people would decide that only such hotels as they were met in would be allowed to exist. It was a good omen that the work of the New South Wales Local Option League was progressing so much that, notwithstanding the energy of their valuable hon. secretary, Mr. Edward Knapp, the league found it necessary to secure a permanent secretary in the person of Mr. Jno. Roseby. They had found in Victoria that their indefatigable secretary, Mr. John Vale, could only do one man's work, and they secured that excellent man, Mr. J. W. Meaden, to help him; and yet both of these were overworked, for the work seemed to be endless. He believed they were now entering upon a year of rapid progress. In Victoria 65 out of an Assembly of 86 were pledged to their principles. To show the weight the Victorian Alliance possessed, almost every candidate for Parliament came to the league's office for support. Last session they carried three important matters. First, teaching of temperance lessons in the State schools; second, by a majority of 12 against the Government, the proposition to grant bonuses for the production of wine; and third, the excision of the clause in the Licensing Act which gave the Benches power to grant licenses for houses of 30 rooms, even when the local option vote was against an increase of licensed houses. Strange to say, in this contest they found they received considerable support from those who already held licenses. Why? Because they did not want any increase in the competition. A new difficulty met them in providing hotels such as they were in in sparsely-populated places. Yet, in spite of this, in 12 polls recently taken they had won in no less than eight contests. The great power with them was their marriage with the Women's Christian Temperance Union, for this union was called "the wife" of the Alliance. The women had done wonders for the cause in Victoria, and he (Mr. Hunt) would strongly advise the Local Option League to enter into marriage with their local Women's Union. With respect to the Church of England Temperance Society in Victoria, he was glad to know that Bishop Goe was earnest in his endeavour to vivify the society. He wished the Local Option League success.

Mr. John Roseby, on behalf of the league, welcomed Mr. Hunt, and regretted the weather was so unpropitious. But for this many more would have been present. He was glad to hear from Mr. Hunt of the advances made by the Alliance in Victoria.

Mr. Thomas Smith, M.P. for South Melbourne, said he was district chief ruler for the Rechabites, now 10,000 strong in Victoria, with a balance of £100,000 to their credit. He wished to see healthy emulation between the colonies. Whichever advanced would spur on the other to attain the goal they had in view through the democratic principle of local option. But for the work of the temperance societies in Victoria the drink bill would have been more than £5 for a head. He was proud to say that, though generally supporting the Victorian Ministry, he had voted against them in the resolutions which Mr. Hunt had told them had been carried in favour of temperance work.

The Hon. John Davies, C.M.G., said, while congratulating the league on its progress, they must not forget the old warriors who had paved the way for their success. He remembered the day when the Bench used to be packed by J.s.P. who were interested in the trade. This had been swept away. Though they had not yet achieved their end, yet the present system was a great improvement on the old state of affairs. He remembered how the brewers worked in years gone by. And still the same pernicious system was working.

Mr. Blaiklock thought their Victorian friends fortunate to have such a man as Mr. Hunt to work for the Alliance. Though in England they were not so advanced re local option, yet at polling times, so strict was the English law, bribery by beer or otherwise rendered a seat void. No public-house could be used as a committee-room.

Mr. G. D. Clark proposed a vote of thanks to the chairman, the Rev. F. B. Boyce.

The Rev. T. Kench, Mr. F. S. Dyer, and others spoke on cognate matters, and the meeting broke up, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Hunt a safe return to Victoria.

Pears' Soap for toilet and nursery, specially prepared for the delicate skin of ladies and children and others sensitive to the weather, winter and summer; prevents redness, roughness, or chapping. Sold everywhere, in tablets, 1s each; larger sizes, 1s 6d and 2s 6d; a smaller tablet, unscented, is sold at 6d.—[Advt.]

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

The recent heavy rainfall has submerged portions of the training tracks at Randwick, and consequently the A. J. C. authorities have decided to close the course until 9 a.m. to-day. Should the track be unfit for training purposes then the gates will not be opened until further notice.

Advices from Windsor state that there is every probability of a flood in that district. The racecourse at Clarendon is likely to be submerged, and the Hawkesbury authorities have postponed the autumn meeting until Saturday and Monday next.

Binda and Googong Race Meetings have been registered by the A.J.C.

After a thorough investigation into the running of Lincoln in the Welter Mile at Warwick Farm on the 15th instant, the stewards deemed the explanation given by his owner as satisfactory.

A cable message from England reports the defeat of the Australian racehorse Plutarch, in the Trial Stakes at the Lincoln Spring Meeting on Monday. The distance is about a mile, and at weight-for-age the son of Chester should have given a better account of himself.

The Australian candidates for the Derby still hold their own in the English betting market, a cablegram in another part of this issue recording 18 to 1 against Kirkham and Narellan coupled.

Wagering on the autumn handicaps has been very dull up to the present, and there seems but little likelihood of business becoming any brisker until after the Hawkesbury meeting. The following are the nominal quotations:—A. J. C. Doncaster Handicap: 100 to 10 v. Prelude, 100 to 7 each v. Gaytime, Yellowstone, and Correze, 100 to 5 each v. Insigna and Muriel, 100 to 6 to 100 to 1 v. others. Sydney Cup: 5 to 2 v. Carbine, 5 to 1 each v. Dreadnought and Melos. H. R. C. Autumn Handicap: 8 to 1 v. Rudolph, 10 to 1 each v. Sir William, Insigna, Hop Bitters, and Aristocrat, 12 to 1 v. Honeydew, 14 to 1 v. The Tyler.

The Trindle Jockey Club have fixed upon the 15th proximo as the date for their annual races, and have framed a six-event programme for the occasion, with £90 to be distributed in stakes. The Mayor of Parkes has donated the sum of two guineas as a prize for the best costumed jockey at the meeting.

The annual reunion of the Marsden's Jockey Club is set down for May 9, and a bill of fare has been framed, comprising seven events, of which the principal are the Town Plate and Marsden's Cup of 25 sovs. each.

The Deniliquin sportsmen intend to celebrate the anniversary of her Majesty's Birthday with a racing meeting under the auspices of the local jockey club. The bill of fare includes half a dozen events, and the leading items are the Birthday Handicap of 35 sovs., and the Hurdle Race and Autumn Handicap of 25 sovs. each.

A race meeting has been arranged by the Dubbo sportsmen for Easter Monday, but the prize-list does not hold out much inducement to owners who live outside of the district.

Races are announced to take place at Currabubula on Easter Monday, and Moonbi on the Queen's Birthday.

At the meeting of the Latrobe (Tasmania) Turf Club on the 17th instant Arsenal took part in the principal race, the J. C. Handicap, 1½ mile, with 10st up, but failed to get a place. The event was won by Mr. J. Symmon's ch m Myrtle, who carried 7st 5lb, and disposed of her opponents easily at the finish.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondents.)

MOONEE VALLEY RACES.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The Moonee Valley Races to-day were well attended. The weather was threatening. The following are the results:—

Mervin Handicap, for ponies 13 hands—6 furlongs. There were 17 starters. Won by A. Hamburidge's Ruby II. (late Ruby), 7st. 5lb. (Tomlin). Time, 1 minute 27 seconds.

Selling Race, for ponies 13.2, 6½ furlongs.—Mr. T. Smedley's Release (Wilton), 1. Walk over.

Warragul Handicap, 7 furlongs.—Eleven starters. Won by Mr. C. Cripps's Rose, 7st 13lb (Parker). Time, 1 minute 36 seconds.

Maiden Plate, 5 furlongs.—A. L. Johnson's Granite, 8st 8lb (Hayes), 1; Mr. J. Peterson's Laverock, 8st (Whitty), 2; Mr J. O'Loughlin's Lady Agnes, 7st 4lb (Brown), 3. Five others ran. Betting: 7 to 4 v. Granite, 4 to 1 v. Laverock. Won by three quarters of a length from Laverock, who was three lengths in front of Lady Agnes. Time, 1 minute 4½ seconds.

Ascot Handicap, 5½ furlongs.—Mr. J. O'Loughlin's Aurelius, 7st 8lb (Brown), 1; Mr. C. Williams's Wabba, 8st (Viney), 2; Mr. E. Kelly's Rewi, 8st 10lb (Kidd), 3. Betting: 2 to 1 v. Traveller, 4 to 1 v. Derision and Wabba, 5 to 1 v. Aurelius, 10 to 1 v. Rewi. Won by three lengths. Time, 1 minute 7¾ seconds.

Selling Hurdle Race, 1½ mile.—Mr. T. Boucher's Ace, 10st. (Cupitt) 1; Mr. J. Cruikshank's Resign, 10st 7lb (King), 2; Mr. J. Emery's Grandcourt, 10st 8lb (Harbutt), 3. Blaze Knight also ran. Betting: 2 to 1 on Ace, 4 to 1 v Blaze, 6 to 1 v Grandcourt. Won by a couple of lengths, Resign some lengths in front of Grandcourt. Time, 2 minutes 53½ seconds.

Alphington Handicap, 6½ furlongs.—Mr. E. Kelly's Mikado 2nd (late Mikado), 7st. 4lb. (Myers), 1; Mr. J. Lynche's Vascosa, 7st. 10lb. (Tomlin), 2; Mr J O'Loughlin's Grandlike, 8st. 7lb. (Brown), 3. Apropos Theorist, Abrupt and Wabba also ran. Betting: even Grandlike, 4 to 1 v. Wabba, 7 to 1 Mikado 2nd. Won easily by three or four lengths, Vascosa just in advance of Grandlike.

BRISBANE RACES.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

The following are the acceptances for the under-mentioned events:—

Metropolitan Stakes, 300 sovs.—2 miles.

Aga, 8st 12lb; Lyndhurst, 8st 10lb; Pirate, 8st 2lb; Wandsworth, 7st 12lb; Alma, 7st 10lb; King Olaf, 7st 9lb; Orange Bud, 7st; Ajax, 6st 13lb; Little Jeannie 6-2 10lb; Stamboul, 6st 6lb; Tongy, 6st 6lb; Rose Drayton, 6st 2lb; Spondulias, 6st.

City and Suburban Handicap.

Aga, 9st; Sir Anthony, 8st 13lb; Lyndhurst, 8st 12lb; Pirate, 8st 4lb; Wandsworth, 8st; Ormond, 7st 13lb; Alma, 7st 12lb; King Olaf, 7st 11lb; Lionel, 7st 6lb; Orange Bud, 7st 2lb; Little Jeannie, 6st 12lb; Adam, 6st 12lb; Golden Stone, 6st 10lb; Stamboul, 6st 8lb; Tongy, 6st 8lb; Rose Drayton, 6st 6lb; Zona, 6st 4lb.

THE SINGLETON RACES.

SINGLETON, Tuesday.

The committee of the Singleton Jockey Club met this morning and postponed the races to Saturday and Monday next, owing to sheets of water on the course. It is expected that the course will be in good order on Saturday. The weather is now fine.

HAWKESBURY RACE CLUB AUTUMN MEETING.

RICHMOND, Tuesday.

The Hawkesbury Races have been postponed to Saturday and Monday next, in consequence of the heavy rain.

WARIALDA JOCKEY CLUB RACES.

WARIALDA, Tuesday.

The following are the nominations for the leading handicaps in connection with the annual races of the above club:—

Town Plate.

Maud, Shakespeare, Glen Luna, Capricornus, Booloorco, Telephone, Victor, Blue Bell, Aaron (late Eria), Plinth, Bells, Oddfellow, Glendon, Slender.

Jockey Club Handicap.

Maud, Glen Luna, Capricornus, Booloorco, Telephone, Victor, Bluebell, Aaron (late Erin), Bells, Oddfellow, Glendon.

COOTAMUNDRA TURF CLUB.

COOTAMUNDRA, Tuesday.

A general meeting of the turf club was held last night to consider the declaration of the stewards that the Farmer's Race was no race. Mr. P. Heffernan, J.P., vice-president, was chairman. Mr. J. J. Miller moved "That in the opinion of this meeting the stewards should reconsider their decision." This was seconded by Mr. P. Maguire. An amendment that the matter be left to the discretion of the committee of the club was moved by Mr. Pinkstone and seconded by Mr. Thorn, and carried on division by 13 to 10.

CRICKET.

The following matches were played on Saturday:—

The contest for the Stevenson Brothers' Cup, between M'Murtrie C. C. and Feldheim, Gotthelf, and Hoffnung, was started at Moore Park, and at present looks as if it will be closely contested. The small scores are to be accounted for by the excellence of the bowling of both sides. O'Brien's was especially effective, as he clean bowled all the wickets secured by him. The respective scores are: M'Murtrie—First innings, 28; and second innings, three wickets for 8 runs. Feldheim, Gotthelf, and Hoffnung—First innings, 46 runs (O'Brien 18). O'Brien (five wickets for 7 runs) and Russell (three wickets for 17 runs) shared the bowling honours for the former; and Murray (two wickets for 18 runs), Arthur (three wickets for 7 runs), and Hourigan (one wicket for 1 run), were the successful trundlers for the latter.

Camperdown and Bohemian played at Enmore, and the match resulted in a draw. Scores: Camperdown, eight wickets for 50 (J. Morgan 24, G. Shirbin 18); Bohemian, 118 (Owens 26, Brown 25, Carroll 25). Giltinan and Morgan bowled best for the former, and Lloyd and Hankin for the latter.

Our Boys and North Sydney met on the wicket of the former, and the game resulted in a draw. Scores: Our Boys, 67 (W. Scotter 34, H. Gibbons 16); North Sydney, 53 for the loss of five wickets (Summers 28). For Our Boys, Scotter and Asprey were the most effective bowlers, and Brennan and Merchant were the most successful with the ball for North Sydney.

PEDESTRIANISM.

The first round of the Lillie Bridge 50 Yards Handicap has been postponed until to-morrow night, and the final until Friday, on account of the wet.

The acceptances for the Lillie Bridge Easter Handicap, to be run on April 1, 2, and 5, close to-night, at the usual places.

The running of the Carrington 300 Yards Handicap was postponed from last night until to-night owing to the rain.

Acceptances fall due to-night for the Carrington Easter Handicap.

Owing to the rain the running of the finals in the Burwood £25 Handicap, and also the Consolation Handicap, were postponed until to-day.

Nominations for the Leichhardt Novice Handicap of £10 close to-day.

MARRICKVILLE HANDICAP.

The following are the starts for the second Marrickville Novice Handicap of 75 yards, of 10 sovs. and gold medal, to be run on Saturday afternoon:—

J. Armstrong, 2 yards; F. Wiggins 2½; E. Lampson, 2½; W. Green, H. Duncan, 3¼; C. Pengelly, A. Sullivan, A. M'Farlane, A. C. Beaston, 3½; A. Harris, 3¾; H. Godfrey, H. Moran, A. Gardner, 4; G. Endicott, J. Hicks, C. Dunne, G. Hilton, 4¼; J. W. Phillips, J. Morris, H. Hatch, A. Morgan, W. Williams, J. Anthoney, J. Grogan, C. Morath G. L. Sullivan, Joe Brown, T. Cortens, H. Moore, E. Townsend, J. H. Pidding, 5; J. Wilson, J. Braithwaite, J. Winters, 5¼; T. Brimble, 5¼; T. Amos, D. Campbell, G. Haddon, T. Walters, A. Clyne, M. J. Coughlin, J. Haddon, A. E. Stewart, F. J. Williams, F. Bourke, 5½; J. Maskylne, T. D. Morris, W. Nowlan, F. Austin, W. Bailey, O. White, A. M. Downie, F. W. Bell, E. Grey, J. D. Clark, W. Newell, B. Healy, E. C. Bourke, S. Eckman, 6; D. M'Kenzie, S. Steel, S. R. Walker, J. Ettrick, W. Ahearn, 6¼; G. Hinch, J. Pantlin, W. Walsh, C. E. Thompson, M. Donohue, E. Walsh, M. Dwyer, G. L. Saunders, 6½; A. James, D. Douglass, J. T. Kenny, W. H. Pooley 6¾; J. Wann, J. Campbell, M. Ryan, J. Spark, C. Heaney, A. J. Folkes, W. Birkley, A. Allen, A. W. Howe, J. Vaughan, W. Summerhayes, 7; S. Dolan, J. Crossland, J. Thursell, 7¼; R. W. Lewis, H. J. Turner, C. M'Ilwaine, C. Bowman, J. Roberts, W. Bonner, G. Fraser, 7½; A. G. Migbell, J. Verritt, H. Gazzard, F. Husband, A. Larcombe, J. Cook, 7¾; A. M'Laughlin, R. Keane, A. J. Farr, W. H. Calvert, W. M. Brennan, F. R. Davis, F. Aurther, 8; E. Craig, J. Hawkins, R. H. Brice, 8¼; F. H. Howard, J. Ellis, E. Patterson, A. Mitchell, J. Tover, P. J. Moran, J. A. Adams, W. M'Guiness, 8½; F. Fennen, A. Cook, T. D. Short, 8¾; A. Cooper, T. Inman, N. Aston, B. F. Applebee, F. Aurrell, W. Hand, H. Hedger, E. Prendergast, W. Stevens, C. Griffiths, 9; P. Woods, W. Hope, G. Cox, 9¼; F. J. Conlon, 9½; F. Ley, F. J. Frost, H. Peek, 9¾; D. Strong, D. M'Auliey J. W. Lyons, A. Mancer, T. Brady, H. Knight, W. Aylwood, 10.

Acceptances close at the post.

FOOTBALL.

The annual meeting of the East Sydney Football Club was held last night at Flanagan's Burdekin Hotel. Mr. W. Marshall occupied the chair, and about 20 members were present. The report stated that at no single match during the season was the club fully represented, and, excepting on a few occasions, the club had to fulfil its engagements with short teams. The thanks of the club were due to the patron, Mr. S. Burdekin, M.L.A., the president, Mr. Flanagan, and the vice-presidents, Messrs. Marshall, Kettlewell, and Dobson, for various services rendered. The committee noted with pleasure the increase of popularity the game met with during the last season. This was due in a great measure to the support given it by Mr. Flanagan, who presented a trophy for competition amongst the senior clubs. The balance-sheet showed a small credit. The report and balance-sheet were adopted. The following office-bearers were elected:—Patron: Mr. S. Burdekin, M.L.A. President: Mr. A. Flanagan. Vice-presidents: Messrs. W. Marshall, Saunders, Dobson, Hellmrich, M'Whirter, Low, Dr. Warren, C. Beal, P. Scott. Secretary: J. P. Buckley. Treasurer: Mr. E. Witton. General committee: Messrs. E. Barker, B. Lyon, R. Bruce, H. Hedger, and H. Neate; delegates to the association, Messrs. Buckley and Hedger. A telegram was read from the Hamilton Club offering to play a match in Sydney on the Queen's Birthday. The matter was referred to the committee. Votes of thanks to the retiring officers, the press, and the chairman concluded the business.

On Friday evening last between 20 and 30 members of the Randwick Football Team assembled at the residence of Mr. Theo. Richards, Holkham, Randwick, for the purpose of presenting that gentleman with a souvenir previous to his departure for the old country. Mr. Macpherson, the present captain of the team, was entrusted with the task of conveying to Mr. Richards the esteem in which he is held not only by his old comrades, but by all the residents of Randwick. His resignation of the captaincy of the local football club creates a gap which it will be difficult to fill, but it is hoped that a worthy successor has already been found in the gentleman selected to fill the vacant post. The presentation to Mr. Richards took the form of an address and gold pencil-case. These the recipient having suitably acknowledged, the visitors were invited to partake of the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Richards, sen. Mr. Richards took his departure for England on Saturday by the Ormuz and a large number of footballers and other friends assembled to wish him bon voyage and a speedy return in renewed health and strength to once more take his place amongst them. As the vessel moved off from the shore three ringing cheers were given for Mr. Richards.

ATHLETICS.

The meeting of the Centennial A. A. Club, which was to have been held last night at Eager's Centennial Hotel, Forest Lodge, has been postponed.

AQUATICS.

A meeting of the Sydney Amateur Sailing Club was held in Aaron's Exchange last evening. The vice-commodore (Mr. P. R. Pedley) presided. The prizes won by Mr. G. E. Fairfax's Norna, in the race for yachts 2½ rating and under, on March 1, and by Mr. N. Johnson's Irex, in the race for 22ft. open boats, on the same date, and also prizes won in the race for painted boats, were presented. It was decided to close the season on Saturday, April 26, with evolutions by the club's fleet and a luncheon down the harbour.

Mr. W. M. Paul has disposed of his 22ft. half-decker Varuna to Mr. Danger. The Varuna has been successful in her races under Mr. Paul's ownership, and there is no doubt she will be equally so under her new owner in next season's races. It is Mr. Paul's intention of having a boat of the same class built from his own designs.

Yesterday afternoon the steamer Gosford conveyed a large number of rowing men to the championship course, where a good view was obtained of the scullers in training. Among those on board was O'Connor, who watched the rowing of the men with much interest. Bubear was seen coming down the river, and M'Lean rowed from his shed up to Uhr's Point, against a strong current, and back to the Brothers. Matterson, Brown, and Malone did the same, and at Uhr's Point Kemp and Stansbury joined them, and the six scullers rowed down the river close together. Stansbury has improved greatly, and he received a large share of attention and favourable criticism. Kemp and Matterson rowed down in close company, Kemp rowing evenly for the whole distance, while Matterson put on three smart spurts. M'Lean did good work, and Malone did a good, stiff row. Stansbury kept his position and took it very leisurely. To-day Matterson and M'Lean will do their final row before they meet in the contest on Friday. The steamer Gosford will make two trips to follow them, leaving for the first at 10.30, and for the second at 3.15. O'Connor will be on board, and no doubt a large number will go to see the form of the competitors on their last appearance before the race.

The following are the entries for the Maiden Double Sculls Race, open to other clubs, to be rowed on Saturday at the East Sydney Rowing Club's Fifth Annual Regatta, viz.:—East Sydney R.C., A. J. Hatton and W. Goulding; North Shore R.C., A. J. Brown and C. H. Coggins; Glebe R.C., A. H. Fox and E. C. Kreagen; Mercantile R.C., A. C. Hollingworth and E. Grace. The prize is presented by Mr. Thomas Keary, and the race will start at 3 p.m. For the other races the Maiden Fours will row off two heats on Thursday, the winners rowing a final heat at the regatta. With senior fours, handicap single sculls, and scratch eights, some good racing will no doubt ensue, and a fine day is all that is necessary to allow the expected attendance to view the events. Mr. William O'Connor and Mr. J. A. Mulligan, as well as Messrs. Neil Matterson, G. Bubear, P. Kemp, and J. Stansbury, have accepted invitations to be present.

SWIMMING.

A handicap race, distance 99 yards, for members of the Enterprise Swimming Club, came off at the Pitt-street Baths last night in the presence of a fair number of spectators. The racing was up to the usual high standard shown by members of the above club, and some good finishes resulted. The following are the results:—

First Heat.—O. Bernauer, 25 seconds, 1; G. Farmer, 17 seconds, 2; G. R. Lyon, 25 seconds, 3. There was another starter. The race was won easily. Time, 1 minute 32 seconds.

Second Heat.—J. Seidel, 30 seconds, 1; J. Mason, 14 seconds, 2; W. Gumbleton, 28 seconds, 3. Won by 4 yards. Time, 1 minute 35 seconds.

Third Heat.—M. Hunt, 17 seconds, 1; W. T. Budd, 18 seconds, 2. These were the only starters. Time, 1 minute 28 seconds.

Fourth Heat.—E. M'Laughlin 10 seconds, 1; T. J. Moloney, 9 seconds, 2; G. Bates, 20 seconds, 3. A close race. Time, 1 minute 27 seconds.

Fifth Heat.—T. Anderson, 8 seconds, 1; M. Long, 12 seconds, 2; G. Meadham, scratch, 3. Won by a couple of yards. Time, 1 minute 15 seconds.

The final will come off on Friday night.

A general meeting of the above club will be held in Rainford's Hotel, Oxford-street, on Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock.

The members of the Enterprise Swimming Club are endeavouring to arrange a match between G. Meadham, the present amateur champion of the colony, and J. W. Johnson, of Balmain, for the amateur championship and a trophy valued at £25. The money for the trophy will be paid down on Friday night next when the men meet, at the Enterprise Club Rooms, and when all details connected with the match will be arranged. It is likely that the match will take place about the end or middle of next month, by which time both men should be in the fittest condition to do battle for the amateur championship.

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MUNICIPAL COUNCILS.

LEICHHARDT.

A meeting of the Leichhardt Borough Council was held in the town hall on Monday evening, the 17th instant, when there were present the Mayor (Alderman N. C. Neal), and Aldermen Sadler, Wragge, Walsh, Little, Cropley, Moore, Hearn, and Hyde. The Works Department wrote in reference to the drainage of Marion-street and other works caused by the extension of the tramway. This matter caused a considerable amount of discussion, some aldermen being of opinion that the Government were going to not only render that street difficult for traffic, but also dangerous by reason of the construction of an open drain. It was pointed out that the department had by letters, before the work was commenced, agreed to leave the road in as good a condition as when they started, and also that they would have to build retaining walls and provide for entrances to private property where the levels were altered. The matter was referred to a committee of the whole council to meet on the ground for a discussion. From the Camperdown Borough Council, notifying that they would have nothing to do with repairing the Booth-street bridge, which has been closed for traffic on the Camperdown side, on account of being in a dangerous condition. Alderman Sadler moved—"That the letter be received, and a ratepayer appointed as nominal plaintiff to take legal action to compel Camperdown to open the road for traffic, alleging that very serious injury is being inflicted upon property-holders by the stoppage of traffic in this direction." The Mayor ruled the motion out of order, as it would amount to the same as the council proceeding at law, which they had been legally advised not to do. On the motion of Alderman Walsh, it was resolved to send a statement of the case to the Colonial Secretary, requesting him to take the necessary steps to have the highway opened. The report of the finance committee, recommending payment of accounts amounting to the sum of £327 12s 11d, was adopted. The works committee's report, recommending certain improvements in Hubert and James streets as soon as the Mayor had funds for the purpose, was adopted, with the exception of the clause relating to some kerbing, which was rejected. The general progress committee recommended that the council clerk's salary should be £200 per annum, and that an assistant be appointed at a salary of £2 per week, with a probationer at 10s per week for the first year and an additional 5s per week in each succeeding year until his salary reached £75 per annum; also the appointment of a working overseer at £3 per week, and an inspector of nuisances at £2 10s, with a residence and horse feed." Alderman Cropley moved, as an amendment,—"That an assistant at £1 per week, and an inspector at £3 weekly, with no residence, be appointed." He protested against the tendency the council had for giving away their revenue in exorbitant salaries. Further discussion took place on the subject, after which the report was adopted as originally proposed.

NORTH WILLOUGHBY.

A meeting was held on the 19th instant, there being present—Aldermen Muston (Mayor), Forsyth, Landers, Wilson, Catt, Newell, and Wilkes. The following tenders were accepted:—Cutting down hill, and forming Penshurst-street, James Spring, £18 18s; cutting down and forming footpath, Sydney-street, Henry Crick, £16 10s; cutting down and forming footpath, Flat Rock-road, John Mudd, £49; Ironstone for Penshurst-street, H. Horney, 4s 9d per cubic yard; ironstone, Flat Rock-road, R. Carr, 4s 7d per cubic yard. It was decided to call for fresh tenders for supply of blue metal.

PETERSHAM.

A meeting of the borough council of Petersham was held on Tuesday, the 18th instant. Present—The Mayor (Alderman Wheeler, M.L.A.) with Aldermen Halloran, Jones, Crothers, Clarke, Elphinstone, Toms, Bedford, Langdon, Salier, Moseley, and Hughes. The Treasury notified the payment of £1311 11s 11d. From the council clerk, Marrickville, stating that the council's letter respecting the watering of the New Canterbury-road, had been made an order of the day for next meeting. From Mr. Bartlett, forwarding plans of buildings he proposed to erect on Railway-street, at rear of his hotel. From council clerk, Enfield, stating that his council had resolved to push the matter of establishing a court of petty sessions in the western suburbs. Reports: The overseer submitted a report as to the works carried out and in progress during the past fortnight at an expense to the various wards as follows:—South Kingston, £25 13s 7d; Lewisham, £37 16s 8d; Annandale, £54 10s 9d; Sydenham, £7 0s 6d. The committee recommended that 6in. pipes be laid from Mr. Gibbons' property to Liberty-street; that a second course of guttering be laid on Trafalgar-terrace, as per Alderman Halloran's resolution; that the Newtown Council be invited to share the cost of metalling Liberty-street as per Alderman Halloran's resolution; that better provision be made for the overflow of water across the Parramatta-road by altering the inlet to the culvert; that the metalling of the lane from The Avenue to Little Brighton-street as per Alderman Clarke's resolution be carried out. From finance committee recommending payment of accounts. Finance committee report under section 164.—The Mayor brought up a report as to the probable income and expenditure. Valuers' report.—The valuers submitted a report with their valuation of all ratable property, showing an increase of £113 8s in the revenue derivable from 1s in the pound. The report was adopted. The council struck a rate of 1s in the pound for general purposes, and a special rate of 3d in the £ for lighting the streets. Motions pursuant to notice: Resolved on the motion of Alderman Langdon, seconded by Alderman Crothers, "That the works committee report as to the desirability and cost of ballasting Blair Gowrie-street from Old Canterbury-road to Windsor-road." "That the lighting committee report as to the desirability of erecting a lamp in Blair Gowrie-street, opposite Mr. W. C. Moore's residence." Resolved on motion of Alderman Clarke, seconded by Alderman Moseley, "That the works committee report as to the desirability of having Barker, St. John, and Cook streets metalled, and putting in crossings at corners where necessary, at a cost of about £100." Resolved, on motion of Alderman Halloran, seconded by Alderman Salier,—"That the Town Hall Committee inspect and report as to the necessity of effecting some alterations in the cellars and otherwise, with a view of securing better light and ventilation."

PROSPECT AND SHERWOOD.

A meeting of the above council was held in the council-chambers on March 20. The Mayor (Alderman T. Muston) presided. A letter was received from John Nobbs, M.L.A., stating that application for a further grant for the Smithfield-road could not be allowed. The Board of Health wrote on the local dairies and commended the local inspector for the manner in which he performed his work. The Mayor reported that an endowment to the amount of £279 12s 4d had been received. Accounts amounting to £23 12s were ordered to be paid. On the motion of the Mayor it was resolved to ask the Parramatta council to confer with them on the matter of placing Boundary-street in proper repair.

ST. LEONARDS.

This council met on the 19th instant. Present: Aldermen Phillips (Mayor), Punch, M'Alpine, Eaton, Clarke, Harnett, Stephenson, Board, Guilford, and Hagon. The North Shore Ferry Company wrote expressing regret that there was not sufficient traffic to warrant them putting on an extra boat to Mosman's Bay. Alderman Clarke presented a petition from 30 ratepayers about want of communication with the business centre. The matter was referred to the works committee. Accounts amounting to £333 12s 3d were passed for payment. Alderman Clarke moved that Walker-street (lower level) between Berry-street and M'Laren-street, be formed, also a footpath, and that tenders be called for the work." Alderman Easton seconded, and after considerable discussion the motion was negatived. Alderman Hogan moved,—"That stone kerbing and guttering be laid on the south side of Military-road, from Ben Boyd-road to Bloxsome-road, at a cost of £148." Alderman Hagon seconded. Carried. Alderman Hagon moved:—"That both sides of Grosvenor-street, from Ben Boyd-road to Young-street, be kerbed and guttered and generally repaired at a cost of £140." Alderman Eaton moved an amendment "That Grosvenor-street, from Ben Boyd-road to Young-street, be repaired at a cost not exceeding £40." The amendment was carried. Alderman Hagon moved —"That the present drain pipe in Grosvenor-street be taken up and a culvert substituted, at a probable cost of £60." Alderman Eaton seconded. Carried. Alderman Hoard moved,—"That cube crossings be laid in Myrtle-street at the intersections of West-street and Lane Cove-road, at a cost of £7 10s each." Alderman Harnett seconded. Alderman Hoard moved,—"That kerb and sidestone, with concrete gutter, be laid on western side of Miller-street, between Rosalind-street and Amhurst-street, at a cost not exceeding £80." Alderman Clarke seconded. Alderman Punch objected on the score of economy. He moved that the matter be deferred until the loan was raised. Alderman Eaton seconded the amendment, which was carried with two dissentients. The following financial summary, from February 4 to March 13 inclusive, was submitted:—To municipal rates: Albert Ward, £33 13s 9d; Belmore Ward, £350 8s 9d; Warringa Ward, £82 18s 3d; Mosman's Ward, £82 6s 3d. Lighting rates: Albert Ward, £8 3s 9d; Belmore Ward, £87 7s 3d; Warringa Ward, £9 1s 11d; Mosman's Ward, £14 7s 6d; nightsoil receipts, £26 9s; house refuse receipts, £5 4s 9d; miscellaneous receipts, £43 18s 8d; balance, £4075 15s 10d: total, £4808 12s 6d; by balance, £4141 17s 1d; municipal works, Albert Ward, £33 2s 3d; Belmore Ward, £70 16s 3d; Warringa Ward, £23 7s 6d; Mosman's Ward, £103 4s 6d; miscellaneous works, £20 14s; miscellaneous, £191 2s 1d; scavenging and house refuse, £19 16s 10d; nightsoil disbursements, £53 2s 11d; materials, £151 9s: total, £4808 12s 6d.

CAMPERDOWN.

A meeting of the Camperdown Borough Council was held in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening, the 18th instant, when there were present—The Mayor (Alderman Morgan), and Aldermen Cahill, Proctor, Larkin, Probert, Sparkes, Bennett, and Porter. The report of the finance committee, recommending payment of accounts amounting to the sum of £67 12s 1d, was adopted. The Darlington council forwarded a resolution passed by that council to the effect that the new Local Government Bill should provide for the collection of municipal rates on all public buildings, parks, lanes, and enclosures whatever, except where vested in municipalities, and requesting the council to give it their support. The letter was received, and ordered to be considered at the next meeting of the council. The authorities of the Prince Alfred Hospital complained of the overflow of flood-waters from the waterways on to the Hospital grounds. The letter was received, and the council clerk was instructed to write, stating that the only remedy would be that the footpaths should be raised, as they were at present much lower than the crown of the road, and that the matter would be brought under the notice of the Government. Mr. Robert Anderson wrote, drawing the council's attention to the disgraceful condition of Dog-lane, and pointing out that there were five cases of typhoid fever in the lane, caused or aggravated by the state of the street, and requesting that steps be taken to have the nuisance abated. It was stated that a resolution had some time ago been passed that this lane should be properly formed and drained, but that up to the present nothing had been done. The Mayor pointed out that the work had been passed, and it was principally owing to this motion being passed that action was taken in stopping the credit of the borough with the bank. He was of opinion that the work should be done forthwith. Alderman Larkin was also of opinion that the work should be done without delay. Certainly a motion had been passed by a majority of the council that the work should be done, and as far as the trouble about the stopping of the council's overdraft was concerned, the motion was passed long before the financial deadlock was brought about. He urged the matter was one which demanded immediate attention. The Mayor promised that this should be the first work carried out. The treasurer's report was brought forward, which showed the receipts for the preceding fortnight to have been £2 7s 8d on lighting account, and £24 7s 2d on general account. Payments had been made on lighting account, £181 4s 11d, and general account, £65 19s 11d. There was a sum to credit of lighting account of £95 7s 7d, and the general account showed a debit balance of £3859 10s 11d. The Mayor reported that a deputation from the council, at an interview with the Railway Commissioners, had been promised that a tramway waiting-room would be erected without delay at the corner of the Missenden-road. The following notice of motion stood in the name of Alderman Larkin:—"That the Mayor, aldermen, and treasurer each obtain an official dress, to be worn on all State and official occasions, banquets, &c., to consist of dress coat, with stand-up collar, braided front, and gauntlet cuffs, knee breeches, black silk stockings, buckle shoes, and three-cocked hat; the Mayor's coat to have purple facings, the aldermen's blue, and the treasurer's gold, and the council clerk to be provided with a white surplice trimmed with crimson." The mover wished each alderman to understand that he is to provide at his own expense his costume; the clerk's costume the council were in duty bound to provide. In moving the resolution he pointed out that they would only be following a very old custom which had existed at all times and in all countries except in New South Wales. Why it had not been adopted here he was at a loss to know. He thought the aldermen would all agree with him that these old customs and ancient practices should be observed and not allowed to die out. (Hear, hear.) One great benefit would be, that when the alderman of any borough would misconduct himself he would at once be "spotted." (Hear, hear.) He was sure that if the resolution were carried the other municipal councils would all follow suit. He did not think there could be a more opportune time to adopt it than now. Alderman Probert, in seconding the motion, said he did not know whether the aldermen would feel comfortable in this rig, but he had no objection to the motion. He could see no objection to the Mayor's costume being trimmed with purple, and could understand that the aldermen should be faced with blue, as that was naturally the hue of their countenances in consequence of the state of the municipal finances. The best suggestion was that the treasurer's robe should be trimmed with gold, but he was afraid that there would be more gold on his coat than in his treasury chest. One advantage would be that when dressed in this garb the alderman would be known for what he was; and he, being of a retiring disposition, did not desire to make himself conspicuous. Alderman Bennett moved as an amendment,—"That whereas the Mayor and aldermen of the borough of Camperdown seldom attend on State occasions in their official capacity, it is not needful to obtain an official dress as described by Alderman Larkin's motion, and therefore that our council be represented on all State occasions, public banquets, &c., by the wittiest and funniest alderman of our council, and that character being Alderman Larkin, that his dress for such occasions be a clown's costume of the most attractive design and colour." (Laughter.) Alderman Probert said a clown was an honorable person. The Mayor said he once heard a gentleman say that his greatest ambition was to be a clown. There being no seconder the amendment lapsed, and on the motion being put three were in favour of it, and three were against it. The Mayor gave his casting vote in the negative. Tenders were accepted as follows:—Supplying ballast, George Hickson; tarpaving, B. H. Longbottom; cleaning the borough, C. Featherstone. The matter of watering the streets was ordered to stand over till the rates were struck, the Mayor in the meantime to exercise his discretion as to when the streets should be watered. The proceedings then terminated.

THE IRON AND STEEL INDUSTRY IN THE UNITED STATES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—It is weary and unprofitable work to try to argue with gentlemen like Mr. Foote. In a letter some three weeks ago he affirmed that steel rails had fallen in price in the States, from 158½dol. per ton in 1868, till they can now be bought for 35 to 38dol. per ton, in consequence of the action in the United States tariff. I pointed out that he had coolly ignored the great invention of Bessemer and Siemens, which had revolutionised the industry throughout the world. To-day another letter appears, and Mr. Foote is hurt that anyone should think him ignorant of the great advances made by science in the production of steel. He will admit that "of course improvements in manufacture, coupled with local competition, have been factors in reducing prices," yet, after all, he deliberately concludes the sentence with the aspersion "the tariff is the primary cause" of the reductions.

"Steel has come down 70 per cent. since the inventions of Bessemer and Siemens, that is, from £34 to £11 per ton," says Mulhall in his "History of Prices." This enormous fall took place in England, where no tariff existed; and, since Mulhall wrote, further reductions have taken place.

With such facts as these before us, Mr. Foote can only make himself an object of ridicule by affirming that the tariff of the United States has been "the primary cause" of the great fall in the cost of producing steel. I do not know that any freetrader asserts that the industry in America would be as large as it is to-day had no duties been imposed to limit imports. The duties have stimulated production, but they have been a potent power to discourage hundreds of other industries. All Mr. Foote's quotations from the American Iron and Steel Association, who fight freetrade with all their might, will not disprove the stern logic of facts. He admits that last year Great Britain shipped to the States 574,080 tons of iron and steel, and yet attempts to persuade us that the Americans do not pay higher prices than the British. The merchants who imported that enormous quantity imported it because they could sell it at a profit, after adding the heavy duties.

One other point I must refer to, as it shows with clearness the character of Mr. Foote's contentions. Mr. Wise having said that in some lines of steel and iron duties of 100 to 250 per cent. were levied, Mr. Foote wrote that he passed by the statement "with the hope that the absurd figures may be attributed to a slip of the pen." I then gave instances in which the duties came to 190 and 270 per cent.; and Mr. Foote now endeavours to get out of it by saying that wire nails, the articles referred to, "cannot be looked upon as properly belonging to the iron and steel making industry." He adds, however, that he thinks I have got "rather mixed" in my statement, and suggests that I make further inquiry. Well, I am perfectly satisfied as to the accuracy of my figures on the point. If Mr. Foote thinks them inaccurate, it is for him to show the inaccuracy. I am, &c.,

March 25. EDWARD PULSFORD.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Kindly permit me to correct an error which has, in some way or other, crept into my letter published in your issue of to-day, in the passage which reads, "Under the stimulus of the tariff the production of pig iron alone in the States had increased in 1883 to 5,595,510 tons, as against 8,529,300 in Great Britain. Last year (1889) the production of pig iron was 4,604,625 tons, as against 8,300,000 tons in Great Britain." The figures referring to the United States should read 4,595,510 and 7,604,625 respectively. Insertion of this correction will probably save some of your readers the trouble of writing for the purpose of pointing out the error. I am, &c.,

March 25. W. M. FOOTE, M.E.

There are, it appears, in Europe, the Americas, Egypt, South Africa, Japan, India, &c., no less than 1,714,000 English miles of land telegraphs, and their estimated value is £51,728,500. Of cables, 107,547 miles have been laid down by companies, at a capital outlay of £36,000,000; by Government, 12,523 miles of submarine cable, at a cost of £3,700,000.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—MARCH 25.

Tweed (s.), 285 tons, Captain L. Tulloch, from Tweed River March 23. Passengers—Dr. Sedgwick, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Peterson, Miss O'Rielly, Messrs. Hedberg and Gillitt. Geo. W. Nicoll, agent.

Sophia Ann (s.), 58 tons, Captain W. Denton, from Ramo Head, with salvage from wrecked steamer Riverina.

Oonah (s.), 1600 tons, Captain W. Featherstone, from Hobart 22nd instant, via Eden 24th instant. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Jeanneret, Mr. and Mrs. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Mrs. East, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Archibald, Mrs. Murcutt, Mrs. Lane, Mrs. Schofield, Mrs. Bolton, Mrs. Cape, Mrs. Lloyd, Mrs. M'Leod, Mrs. Hardigan, Mrs. M'Ewan, Mrs. Thompson infant child and nurse, Mrs. Marks and nurse, Miss Contur, Miss Lloyd, Miss Ferguson, Miss Ireland, Miss Scarrell, Miss Brown, Miss Cape, Miss Cook, Miss M'Leod, Misses Harris (3), Misses Marks (3), Miss Thorne, Messrs. Swift, Thompson, Harris, Chislett, Bullen, Murcutt, M'Kenzie, Cooper, Mollett, Moran, Buchanan, Fotheringham, Nicholson, Broard, Turnbull, Scofield (2), Wright, Murry, Fraser, Dr. Contu, Blinman, Marks (2). From Eden: Mr. and Mrs. Stiles, Mrs. Moses and family, A. M. M'Pherson. T. and W. Willis, agents.

Tekapo (s.), 2350 tons, Captain Allman, from Auckland 19th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Lambton and maid, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Gover, Mrs. Irwin, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Abbott, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. M'Donald and 3 children, Mrs. Hodge, Mrs. Haswell, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Dean, Mrs. Harper, Mrs. Rowe, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Blackwood, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Kidd, Mrs. Busby, Mrs. Rattray and 2 children, Mrs. Lang, Miss Simmie, Miss Griffin, Miss Gover, Miss Mackay, Miss Wilson, Misses Barton (3), Miss Slade, Miss Dean and maid, Miss Wright, Misses Smith (4), Miss Lillie and Miss Lang, Messrs. Sturrock, Murray, Lambert, Slade, Gover (3), Briscoe, Hardy and son, Dixon, Osment, Griffin, Hodge, Haswell, Walker, Ovendale, Denison, Simmie, Smith, Lord, Marshall, W. G. Smith, Wilson, Jordan, Cocks, Townley, Greaves, Holden, Baker, Dawbar, Storey, Bottom, Saunderson, Walsh, West, Reid, Shea's, Irwin, M'Farlane, Balfour, Pollard, Harper, Rowe, Cunningham, Blackwood, Buchanan, M'Williams, Busby, Rev. Mr. Cocks, Revs. Fathers Nolan and Fox, Drs. Manson and Smith, and 25 in the steerage. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Gambier (s.), 1700 tons, Captain Easton, from Melbourne 23rd instant. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. M'Cabe, Miss Slater, Messrs. Shee, O'Neil, Newman, W. Valentine, G. Allen, and 20 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith and Sons, agents.

Theophane, ship, 1519 tons, Captain J. Nelson, from London December 20. Mason Brothers, Limited, agents.

MARCH 26.

Richard III., barque, 954 tons, from Puget Sound January 12. Clifford, Moore, and Co., agents.

DEPARTURES.—MARCH 25.

Yarra (s.), for Marseilles, via ports.
Elingamite (s.), for Hobart.
Burrumbeet (s.), for Melbourne.
Arawatta (s.), for Brisbane and ports.
Cintra (s.), for Melbourne.
Gambier (s.), for Melbourne.
Rodondo (s.), for Brisbane and ports.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—MARCH 26.

Tannadice (s.), for China and Japan; Nurnburg (s.), for Bremen, via ports; Eurimbla (s.), for Brisbane and ports; Tenterden (s.), for Fiji, Noumea, and New Hebrides; Oonah (s.), for Hobart; Gwydir (s.), Sydney (s.), for Newcastle; Emma Pyers (s.), for Cape Hawke.

CLEARANCES.—MARCH 25.

Greyhound (s.), 59 tons, Captain John Simmons, for Gippsland Lakes, Victoria, via Wollongong.

Burrumbeet (s.), 2420 tons, Captain Geo. Tait, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Castell, Mrs. King, Mrs. M'Farlane, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Maconochie, Mrs. Richards, Miss Monod, Miss Castell, Miss Wilson, Miss Dawson, Miss Ruddle, Miss Wallace, Miss M'Knight, Miss Taylor, Miss Mackay, Messrs. W. Jenning, W. Huntley, D. M. Fleming, G. Taylor, J. M'Knight, A. Johnson, R. D. M'Kenzie, E. H. Richards, E. King, and 20 in the steerage.

Elingamite (s.), 2585 tons, Captain P. W. Bull, for Hobart. Passengers—Mrs. Abbot, Mrs. Wignall and child, Mrs. Polston and child, Mrs. Hickman, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Crisp, Miss Muller, Miss Finn, Miss Jarvis, Miss Walker, Miss Excell, Miss Olding, Miss Ferguson, Miss Guthrie, Messrs. G. J. Matehouse, E. J. Cyfer, A. Banson, W. Kelly, P. J. Caraway, W. H. Hickman, P. Ferguson, W. A. Farres, W. H. Colquhoun, W. C. Smith, R. Abbot, A. Phillips, R. Thomson, Appleton, G. Banson, and 26 steerage.

Cintra (s.), 2000 tons, Captain T. G. Lee, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Keith, Mrs. Balderston, Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. M'Donald and three children, Mrs. Davies, Miss Williams, Miss Scott, Miss Lane, Miss Dureau, Messrs. J. Kirkup, Alex. Terry, W. Dougherty, E. Palmer, F. M. Whitney, Stockpool, Baldiston, Simmonds, A. B. Scott, W. Passmore, W. Bedley, F. M. Whitney, D. Sturrock, W. Bennett, H. S. Haynes, H. Goldberg, M'Thom, and 45 in the steerage.

Arawatta (s.), 2300 tons, Captain W. W. Hampton, for Brisbane and Northern ports. Passengers—Mrs. Peyton and 4 children and nurse, Mrs. Langtree and 4 children and maid, Mrs. East and child, Mrs. E. Priseman, Mrs. F. Johnson, Mrs. Rider, Mrs. Lathem and 2 children, Mrs. Batch, Mrs. Howe, Mrs. Coade, Mrs. Hudson and 2 children, Mrs. Doonan, Mrs. Lane and 3 children, Miss Woodforde, Miss Bond, Miss Goldring, Misses Coade (3), Miss Stockham, Miss Ross, Miss Frrer, Miss Sommers, Miss Moffatt, Rev. W. Rider, Messrs. S. P. Fraser, R. C. R. Newman, G. J. Brown and son, E. Priseman, F. S. Courtney, D. H. Maling, R. J. Houston, J. H. Rae, J. Nicholson, A. M'Morland, J. Kerr, H. Russell, W. Scott, R. Lathem, A. M. V. Gibb, Croudace, Coade, Batch, J. Woodburn, H. P. Norton, D. Cronin, H. Evans, W. A. Wilson, C. Belcher, and 25 in the steerage.

Rodondo (s.), 1119 tons, Captain W. L. Seymour, for Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton. Passengers—Mrs. Gallagher, Master Charles, Master Gallagher, Dr. Crane, Messrs. W. Valentine, H. Courtayne, J. L. Jones, A. Thompson, and 17 in second cabin.

Gambier (s.), 1577 tons, Captain Alfred Easton, for Melbourne. Passengers—Miss Rayford, Mrs. Bromley, Mrs. Willis, Mrs. Smith, Messrs. W. J. Corkhill, T. Kelly, J. J. Smith, Chandler, H. Vincent-West, G. W. Savage, W. Newbery, and 37 in the steerage.

Yarra (s.), 4017 tons, Captain A. Boulard, for Marseilles, via ports. Passengers—Hon. A. Egerton, Mrs. A. Egerton, Miss Barker, Mr. O'Malley Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Voss, Rev. A. J. Barnard, Rev. Canon J. B. Coulson, Dr. W. L. Liston, Messrs. J. Bacheider, Lighting, G. Rhodes, D. C. Shankland, B. Valeggio, W. H. Chard, Inspector-General Expert, Inspector Rivet, Monseignor Grimes, Rev. Father Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Clark, Mr. Millard, Mr. Massoni, Mr. and Mrs. Careopino and 2 children, Mrs. and Miss Castex, Mr. Deshouillieres, Mr. Angles, Mr. and Mrs. Monin and 3 children, Mr. and Mrs. Bourgier and child, Mr. and Mrs. Negre and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. Bompard, Mr. and Mrs. Bechard and four children, Mr. and Mrs. Ness and 3 children, Mr. and Mrs. Cabusse and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. Dutoit and 2 children, Messrs. Andrain, Andrain, Le Dantec, R. Greenhalgh, G. Rowley, Venillod, Brochet, Casdin de Villiers, Mr. and Mrs. Lequay, Mr. de Piperey, Miss M. Laporte, Mrs. Prat, Mr. Chaix, Mr. Gustiani, Messrs. Saurin, Arsac, Reine, Mrs. and Miss Gheese, and 37 in the steerage. For Melbourne: Mrs. Merlier, Messrs. Merry, F. Lescun. For Adelaide: Messrs. Bardin, V. Bosker, G. Fortescue. For Mahé: Mr. and Mrs. E. Sauzier, Mr. Sauzier. From Melbourne for Marseilles: Mr. and Mrs. J. Aitken, Misses Aitken (2), Mr. and Mrs. D. Barry, Mr. Barry, jun., Miss Barry, Miss Bardey, Miss Joske, Mrs. Marlier, Dr. Roome, Messrs. J. Renard, W. F. Sace, Le Baron, R. Seilliere de Brives, C. Wilson, G. J. Sims, C. W. Hopewell. For Albany: Messrs. J. Shields, E. Shields, F. Shields, J. Brand.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—MARCH 25.

Woonona (s.), for Bulli; Norman, Mana, for Wollongong; Marie, Fanny Fisher, for Newcastle; Freetrade, Advance, for Port Stephens.

IMPORTS.—MARCH 25.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices under this heading.]

Oonah (s.), from Hobart: 11,480 cases fruit, 465 cases jam, 40 casks fruit, 650 staves, 25 bundles willows, 48 cases salmon, 27 bags onions, 39 bags potatoes, 311 bales hay, 10 bales hops, 2 packages moss, 2722 packages bark, and sundries.

Tekapo (s.), from Auckland and New Zealand ports: 2532 sacks wheat, 745 sacks bran and sharps, 181 cases cheese, 105 sacks oatmeal, 1217 sacks potatoes, 171 cases k. gum, 19 sacks malt, 1439 sacks maize, 100 sacks barley, 1 horse and 2 dogs, 10 sacks peas, 207 sacks oysters, 609 sacks flour, 3814 sacks oats, 477 cases meats, and 160 packages sundries.

Theophane, from London: 6532 bricks, 277 wheels, 20 bundles steel bars, 51 anchors, 50 cases fastenings, 76 stoves, 62 ears, 149 slabs slate, 15 cases agricultural implements, 538 plates iron, 132 grindstones, 4 casks 6 lengths chain, 125 rolls lead, 450 packages hardware, 9 packages holloware, 11 coils rope, 100 cases galvanised iron, 450 casks cement, 539 rails, 260 kegs white lead, 85 cases sardines, 16 packages cream of tartar, 824 packages paint, 13 cases bottles, 171 cases drugs, 42 packages corks, 87 casks whiting, 73 quarter-casks 67 cases wine, 750 packages bottled beer, 500 cases vinegar, 50 casks 350 hogsheads ale, 92 tanks 2 bins malt, 350 cases 30 quarter-casks brandy, 25 cases bitters, 25 cases whisky, 25 cases claret, 10 octaves 10 quarter casks 2 hogsheads rum, 152 cases dates, 2 casks gelatine, 12 packages floorcloth, 15 bales 50 reels paper, 139 cases drapery, 61 cases drapery, 80 bars iron, 40 packages lampblack, 75 boxes soap, 859 packages oils, 382 cases starch, 840 packages oilstores, 1092 cases fruit, 300 drums oil, 4 bales canvas, 278 packages herrings, and sundries.

Ex Earl of Zetland and Theophane: 150 cases Gray's jams; 200 cases 50 casks Williams's whisky, 500 boxes dates, 250 cases Griffin's ale, 30 quarter-casks brandy.—JOHN FRASER AND CO.

EXPORTS.—MARCH 25.

Yarra (s.), for Marseilles via ports: 396 bales wool, 61 bales leather, 36 casks 10 tierces beef, 75 bales skins, 44 bales gluepieces, 162 casks tallow, 8 bales sinews, 2 bales cowhair, 1 case books, 7 kegs nails, 1023 ingots 33 cases nickel, 2179 bags copper ore, 3581 bags cobalt, and sundries.

Arawatta (s.), for Cooktown, via ports: 1803 cases fruit, 604 bags potatoes, 376 cases kerosene oil, 274 cases wines and spirits, 350 bags rice, 20 boxes Chinese oil, 10 bales hops, 10 cases bacon, 6 casks juice, 7 casks salt cake, 400 packages oil stores, 30 bags peas, 100 bags wheat, 10 casks cement, 50 cases beer, 7 cases hams, 25 cases salmon, 40 cases drugs, 20 bales chaff, 275 bars iron, 49 packages drapery, 150 bags flour, 240 packages hardware, and original cargo from Melbourne.

Elingamite (s.), for Hobart: 56 head cattle, 18 calves, 1 case refrigerating goods, 1 hay press, 4 bags tops, 1 bag whip handles, 1 canvas parcel, 3 logs, 24 cases fruit, 5 cases 2 cases 11 cases steel, 302 head sheep, 40 pigs.

Burrumbeet (s.), for Melbourne: 3000 tons coal, 27 hogsheads molasses, 24 bales bags, 1 case dye, 1 case 1 box 8 bags skins, 3 shutters, 1 boat, 36 cases 14 cases fruit, 1 case, 3 packages, 14 cases fruit, 1 truss, 1 case, 1 parcel, 2 cases, 1 box, 12 packages wheels, 1 case 6 cases fruit, 16 cases tongues, 15 cases meats, 23 cases fruit.

Cintra (s.), for Melbourne: 106 bags oysters, 195 cases fruit, 125 hides, 11 cases confectionery, 5 baskets prawns, 20 packages rice, 7 bags oatmeal, 4 cases cigars, 946 packages tea, sundries, and original cargo from Brisbane and Queensland ports.

Gambier (s.), for Melbourne: 165 hides, 30 kegs butter, 50 bags seed, 15 stones, 50 cases maizena, 16 cases fruit, 68 tons shale, 25 packages coke, 30 packages rum, 120 ingots copper, a quantity of sundries; and cargo ex s.s. Burwah.

Rodondo (s.), for Brisbane: 125 cases brandy, 61 lengths pipe, 55 cases currants, 330 bags flour, 10 bags pollard, 50 bags potatoes, and sundries.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

NEWCASTLE.—Arrivals: March 25, Sydney (s.), Age (s.), from Sydney. Departures: March 25, Obed Baxter, barque, for Valparaiso, with 1134 tons coal; Maggie L. Weston (s.), for Port Stephens; Tagliaferro (s.), Nemesis (s.), for Melbourne; Sydney (s.), Burrumbeet (s.), for Sydney.

GABO POINT.—March 25, steamer Glaucus, north, at 6 p.m.

QUEENSCLIFF.—Sailed: March 25, R.M.S. Coromandel, at 6.40 p.m., for Sydney.

ADELAIDE.—Arrival: March 25, Karaweera (s.), from Newcastle.

(FROM THE BOARD AT TELEGRAPH OFFICE.)

MACLEAY HEADS.—Departure: March 25, Macleay (s.), at 10.40 a.m., for Sydney.

PORT MACQUARIE.—Arrival: March 25, Alert, tug, at 1.40 p.m., for Camden Haven. Passed: March 25, Macleay (s.), at 2.40 p.m., south.

CROWDY HEADS.—Passed: March 25, Macleay (s.), at 5 p.m., south.

SEAL ROCKS.—Passed: March 25, Emma Pyers (s), at 1 p.m., south.

NELSON'S BAY.—March 25, Amphitrite, Ruby Vale, Sea Flower, Sea Nymph, Jonathan, Alice Templeton, Alfred Fenning, May Flower, and Echo, at anchor. Arrival: March 25, Maggie L. Weston, at 2.30 p.m. Departure: March 25, Kingsley (s.), at 4 p.m.

BYRON BAY.—Departure: March 25, Augusta, at 12.10 p.m., for Sydney.

WOLLONGONG.—Arrival: March 25, Malcolm. Passed: March 25, a tug with ship in tow, at 2.30 p.m., bound north.

NAMBUCCA HEADS.—March 25, stranded schooner J. G. Kondio, sailed up on slip.

JERVIS BAY.—March 25, Jane Morehead, lying in the bay windbound.

CAPE HAWKE.—Departure: March 25, Emma Pyers (s.), at 11.30 a.m.

EDEN.—Departure: March 25, Bega (s.), for Sydney at 8 a.m.

LOW HEAD.—Departure: March 25, Pateena (s.), for Melbourne, at 5.30 a.m.

HOBART.—Departure: March 25, Mararoa (s.), at 12.30 p.m., for Melbourne.

(PER MERCHANT SHIPPING AND UNDERWRITERS' ASSOCIATION.)

LONDON, MARCH 24.

Arrived, from Sydney, Coldinghame, barque, sailed December 13. Gladstone, barque, sailed December 26.

(For continuation of Shipping Intelligence see page 8.)

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

MELBOURNE, 4.15 and 7 p.m.
ADELAIDE, 4 p.m.
HOBART AND LAUNCESTON, 4 p.m.
QUEENSLAND, 5.30 p.m.
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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26, 1890.

THE Queen has left England for Aix-les-Bains.

PRINCE BISMARCK has received complimentary letters from the Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria and King Humbert of Italy.

SUPPLIES to British men-of-war have been refused at Mozambique. British officers have also been insulted.

IT is reported that Servia is fortifying the Bulgarian frontier.

THE Emperors of Germany and Austria propose to meet shortly.

IT is proposed by President Kruger that settlers shall be allowed to vote after a residence of two years in the Transvaal.

IT is estimated that the telephones in Melbourne are now used by 10,000 persons, and 2379 miles of wire have been provided to accommodate new subscribers.

THE Executive Council has decided that Parliament should be further prorogued till Tuesday, April 29. Both Houses will then be called together for the despatch of business.

ARRANGEMENTS are being made to afford the Melbourne public an opportunity of hearing Mr. W. T. Best on the Town Hall organ.

A STRIKE of tailors in the East End of London is imminent.

A MURDER is reported from St. Kilda (Vic.) A young man named Bennett has confessed that he shot his uncle. The latter, who is a nurseryman, named May, was found in the street with a bullet-wound through his breast, and quite dead.

THE miners of the Wallarah Colliery, Catherine Hill Company, have come out on strike. The men some four months ago joined the Miners' Association, and were then bound by the rules to accept nothing less than 4s 2d, the hewing price in the district.

IT is estimated that the six months' production of beet sugar will show an increase of 778,000 tons.

IT is stated that the R.M.S. Liguria is shortly to be replaced by the Oruba.

A NUMBER of additional awards have been made in connection with the mineral and timber exhibits at the Dunedin Exhibition.

OUR correspondent at Sunny Corner states that the prolonged wet weather is retarding mining operations very much, and seriously affecting the prosperity of the place. A number of men have been thrown out of work.

GIVING evidence yesterday before the Public Works Committee, upon the proposed King-street to Ocean-street tramway, Mr. S. Burdekin said that the tramway would be a great advantage indeed. If there was to be a line from west to east the one proposed would meet the convenience of business men. If the system of cable tramways was at once introduced he thought there would soon be a complete system throughout the city. The line to be followed should be the line of the traffic.

THE Irish Lands Purchases Bill provides for total advances amounting to 33 millions sterling, representing the capitalised value of numerous Imperial annual grants to Ireland.

THE provisions of the bill are said to be an improvement on Lord Ashbourne's Irish Holdings Act, and it is a cheaper and more rapid process, as purchase will be voluntary. There will be no risk to the British taxpayer, though British credit will be utilised.

SIR HENRY PARKES paid a visit to the Governor of Victoria yesterday, and intends to have an interview with Mr. Gillies to-day on important intercolonial concerns.

HEAVY floods have occurred in Queensland. The lower part of Charters Towers is under water, and the flood in Townsville is the highest ever known. Fears of another flood were also entertained at Brisbane.

THE influenza epidemic has reached Victoria. It is believed to be the same malady that raged in Europe. The policemen have been effected by it, but most of the cases are of a mild type.

THE engineers' strike in Europe has terminated. The demands of the men will be granted in May.

IT is thought that an effort being made by Canada to arrange an Atlantic mail service will be successful, the scheme having strong financial backing.

THE dock strike in England is still unsettled. The Firemen's Union now threaten to block the Liverpool dockowners if blacklegs are taken on to supersede the strikers.

THE Russian authorities have imprisoned the Afghan pretender, Ishak Khan.

IT is feared that the Oxford crew have been overtrained.

THE ship Theophane arrived yesterday from London, with a miscellaneous cargo valued at £37,200. The M.M. Company's steamer Yarra left for Marseilles, via ports, with 396 bales wool.

IN the import markets yesterday business generally was quiet, although there were a few special transactions for the replenishing of stocks destroyed by the floods at Brisbane. Comparatively little business with the country has been done. The mining markets are still very depressed.

THE Customs revenue yesterday amounted to £6324.

THE total production of gold in the Australasian colonies in 1888 amounted to £5,700,055 sterling, and in Russia to £4,485,902 sterling. The gold production of the world is at the present time a little over 21 millions sterling.

THE Queensland loan is now quoted in London at £2 10s premium.

IT was reported at the Water and Sewerage Board meeting yesterday that the receipts for the week amounted to £2173 17s 3d. The number of pipes laid for the week was 693, covering one mile 873 yards.

AN open-air meeting under protectionist auspices, in connection with the revision of the new electoral rolls, was last evening addressed by Mr. Traill, M.L.A., from the balcony of the Exchange Hotel, at the corner of Crown and Collins streets, Surry Hills.

THE central committee of the Local Option League invited Mr. J. W. Hunt, J.P., who is chairman of the Victorian Alliance, and his wife to a dinner at the Hotel Metropole on Monday evening, in honour of their visit to Sydney.

A telegram which we publish elsewhere sets forth some of the leading features of the Irish Land Purchase Bill which has just been introduced into the House of Commons by Mr. BALFOUR. It may be said that the idea of facilitating by means of the aid of the State the conversion of Irish tenants into land-owners by a regulated system of land purchase has commended itself to the approval of leading men of both parties. Sir GEORGE TREVELYAN introduced a bill for this purpose in 1884. It proposed an advance of 20 millions. In 1886 Mr. GLADSTONE proposed to advance a sum of about 150 millions in connection with his Home Rule scheme. But the scheme which has been actually carried through Parliament, and has been put to the test of practical experience, was brought in by Lord ASHBOURNE, the Conservative Lord Chancellor for Ireland, in 1885. This measure, after having been brought into extensive and beneficial operation, was renewed and extended by a short Act passed in 1888. The advance authorised by the original bill was five millions, and the Act of 1888 gave authority for another advance to the same amount. Under the original bill the whole of the purchase money could be advanced to borrowers, but the Commissioners who were entrusted with the working of the scheme retained one-fifth of it by way of security until the borrowers repaid an equivalent sum. The surplus of the disestablished Church funds was held as a guarantee for the repayment of any loss to the State after one-fifth of the purchase money had been forfeited. It is interesting to notice that although when the Extension Bill was introduced in 1888 the system was sharply criticised, and the passage of the measure was obstructed, the beneficial operation of the law was not denied, and even Mr. PARNELL expressed his absolute and unreserved approval of its principle. At the same time, whilst objections were taken to the system on the one side on the grounds of the risks it introduced, and whilst unfavourable comments were made upon what looked like establishing a precedent for dealing with the question piecemeal by coming down at intervals with a succession of similar demands, the Government admitted that the measure was not regarded as a settlement of the question, but gave an assurance that there should be no repetition of it. This pledge is now practically fulfilled. The bill brought in by Mr. BALFOUR is not a mere extension of the Ashbourne Act, but modifies it in some important respects, as, for instance, by allowing the purchase to be voluntary on the part of the tenant, and by making the purchase cheaper, and more rapid. Under Lord Ashbourne's Act complaints were made that the purchase price had been forced up to a too high level, but the charge was successfully met during the debate in 1888, when it was shown that, whereas Mr. GLADSTONE in his larger scheme proposed to adopt a basis of 20 years' purchase, the average under the Ashbourne Act had been 17·1 years' purchase, whilst in some cases the price had fallen as low as 13 years' purchase. It will be seen that under the new bill the maximum advance is fixed at 20 years' rent, less the local rates paid by the landlords. The new measure is bolder than the original one, because it authorises advances to the amount of thirty-three millions; and the security is changed, because the sum to be advanced is taken to represent the capitalised value of numerous Imperial annual grants to Ireland.

No doubt there is a risk in connection with such a scheme as this, because its operation would be to bring the State into direct relations with large numbers of the people. Landlords and tenants in Ireland have not always lived together on the best of terms, and as Mr. GLADSTONE pointed out in 1888, the State would largely become under this system the immediate landlord of the occupier. Mr. DILLON also warned the Government that a national party might spring into existence in Ireland advocating the repudiation of these transactions and liabilities. In those days, however, Parliament was encouraged to disregard such risks and warnings by the experience actually gained under the operation of the system. The Act was passed in August, 1885; and in November, 1888, when its extension was under discussion, the Solicitor-General for Ireland was in a position to say that more than 14,000 agreements to purchase had been signed, of which nearly 7000 were for holdings under £30 a year. Further, the instalments had been regularly paid, and of the liability of £90,000 which had accrued up to that time only £1100 remained unpaid, and there was every reason to believe that this would be discharged. The probability is that in introducing the new measure Mr. BALFOUR has been able to produce still more satisfactory reports as to the working of the system since the time to which these figures referred, and to point to them for a justification of further legislation of a similar character, but on broader lines.

The first reading of a bill is seldom the occasion for extended debate. In this instance, so far as the telegram informs us, not much was said. Mr. GLADSTONE admitted that the bill was evidence of a courageous policy, and Mr. BALFOUR promised that opportunity should be given for its unbiassed discussion upon its merits. Not much can be gathered from these remarks as to the future treatment of the measure, because that issue may depend greatly upon the party aspects of the question. Party leaders may consider not merely whether the bill is a good one or a bad one, but whether it would be good or bad tactics to allow it to be passed. The first question that naturally presents itself is whether it would confer a substantial benefit upon the struggling classes in Ireland. But the next question would probably be whether the cause of Home Rule, and of the parties advocating it, would gain or lose if a substantial benefit were conferred upon the people by the opponents of that policy. Some years ago Mr. BALFOUR, in differentiating his position from that of an opponent at the time, described the latter as regarding England and Ireland as two nations unhappily united, whilst he regarded them as one nation unhappily divided. It is possible that the treatment which the new bill will receive may depend in a degree upon the application of this distinction to the case of other members. It is apparently a measure in the interests of union, and not of division, and the issue may depend upon men's preferences for the one or for the other.

Mr. COPELAND dealt very fairly on Monday evening with the repudiation part of Mr. GEORGE's system. He quoted accurately, and he did not seek to win an easy victory by misrepresenting the opinions of his antagonist. It was time that someone likely to be listened to challenged Mr. GEORGE's doctrine as to the justice of repudiating land-titles and gave him some definite arguments to reply to. It was fitting, too, that his chairman should be a freetrader, so as to show that this question of repudiation has nothing to do with either freetrade or protection. It is not a fiscal question; it is a question of justice, and as such it is a very simple one, and one which everybody can discuss who has the elementary ideas of right and wrong.

The question is easily stated, because Mr. GEORGE makes no attempt to insinuate his doctrine by cleverly disguising it. He has the courage of his opinions, and he says openly that there is and "can be no just title to an exclusive possession of the soil, and that private property in land is a bold, bare, enormous wrong, like that of chattel slavery." He refers us to the abolition of slavery during the American Civil War as being an act of justice, and contends that the resumption of private property in land, either directly or indirectly, should stand on the same footing. It is somewhat difficult to understand how a public disputant, whose lectures are so many challenges to reply, can use such an argument. In the first place, President LINCOLN's celebrated proclamation was an act of war, and not a peaceful act of State. He himself repeatedly declared during the first two years of the war that he was fighting to preserve the Union, and not to abolish slavery. He did abolish it, not as an act of justice to the slaves, but as a blow at the belligerents. And if the landowners of New South Wales were in active and organised rebellion against the State, were seizing its forts and arsenals, and marching in force on the capital, it would be perfectly legitimate in the Government to declare all their land forfeited, and to proclaim it public property. In the second place, the American Government, though it had sanctioned slavery, had not itself traded in slaves; it had not sold slaves to the planters, and received and used the money. But in New South Wales the Government has traded in land. It has sold land to those who at present own it, and the money has been received and used for State purposes. Every title in this colony runs up into a Crown grant; the Government was a party to the bargain by which land became private property, and has enjoyed, or is still enjoying, the fruits of that bargain. How is it possible for a Government that has so acted to repudiate its own contract? If the sale of land was a mistake, the Government can own that mistake and repair its blunder, but it can only do so justly by repossessing itself of the estate with compensation to the owners.

It is worth noting in this connection that the title to a New South Wales debenture rests exactly on the same ground as the title to a piece of land in the colony; that is to say, they both rest on Parliamentary authority—nothing less and nothing more. Government says to the free selector, or the auction purchaser, "If you fulfil such and such conditions as to money or service, you shall have the freehold of such a parcel of land." It says to the London capitalist, "If you lend me such and such a sum for 30 years, you shall have 4 per cent. per annum and the principal returned at the end of the time." Suppose someone were to get up and say that it is wrong to charge the next generation, and that every child has an inalienable right to be born free of debt, what would be the answer? Simply that Government, acting on behalf of the people, has a right, for the nation's benefit, to pledge the nation's resources; that the community is a continuing entity, and that the solemn pledges by the fathers must be borne by the children. Mr. GEORGE's argument, however, without any twisting or straining, could be made to cover the repudiation of the national debt just as much as the repudiation of the national land sales. When he says that private ownership of land is essentially and inherently unjust, he simply makes an assertion—he does not prove it. It is just as easy to say that a national debt is unjust, and just as difficult to prove it.

It is worth noting, too, that no sooner does Mr. GEORGE lay down his principle than he abandons it. He no sooner declares that justice requires the abolition of private property in land, than he proposes to grant private property in land subject to a rack-rent. Why does he make this modification? Simply on the ground that it is inconvenient in a free country for the Government to manage a huge estate. We have had so much experience on this point in New South Wales, that we may readily concede this part of his argument. But, if eternal justice is so practically inconvenient that it cannot be carried out, is that not so much the worse for eternal justice?

The scope of Mr. COPELAND's lecture was limited to the repudiation part of Mr. GEORGE's scheme, and therefore it is proper that our readers should bear in mind that that is only a part of his policy, not the whole of it. It would be perfectly fair to deal with the unsold portion of the national estate, alienating it subject to a perpetually re-adjustable rack-rent. Whether it would be wise or not to do so is a question by itself, and a very great question. There are strong fiscal reasons in favour of the State getting the unearned increment; there are also strong reasons of policy against it. If Mr. COPELAND will give another lecture stating the *pros* and *cons* of this great argument, he will do a great service.

Our cable news to-day respecting the attitude of the Portuguese in South Africa is disquieting. Their forces in Mozambique are under orders, and the Portuguese Governor there is reported to have refused supplies to a British man-of-war in port and insulted her officers. Coming so soon after much that we have heard of late regarding the treatment of British residents in Lisbon and Oporto, it seems impossible to attach any other than one meaning to these occurrences. There is a strong feeling amongst the Portuguese both in Europe and in South Africa against the English, and it is on the facts of the case extremely unlikely that the official who has been distinguishing himself at Mozambique would have taken the responsibility his action implies he did, if he were not conscious of the support of superior authority behind him. No doubt Major SERPA PINTO was fortified by the same assurance, and no doubt it will be as easy for the Portuguese authorities to disclaim responsibility for the action of the one as for the other. But the question that now begins to suggest itself is one as to how far the British Government is likely to stand this sort of thing. Petty annoyances of the kind we have been accustomed to hear about lately are apt to assume the importance of a *casus belli* under certain circumstances. Lord SALISBURY's peremptory ultimatum committed England in this affair with Portugal. The PREMIER has been congratulated by all parties in English politics for the judicious and firm manner in which he rose to the occasion these Portuguese complications presented. It is possible for the Government to find itself landed in such a position by the action of the Portuguese at home and abroad that for its own credit's sake strong measures will be necessary. The issue of such an event it does not require a prophet to predict. British interests in the east of South Africa are too large, and the Government is too deeply pledged to their protection, to warrant any hope on the part of Portugal that any just claim will be foregone. To persist in a course of petty annoyance to English residents or visitors, and to insult English consuls and the officers of English ships, is to indulge in a course of conduct that can only needlessly irritate a great Power. The suggestion to settle outstanding disputes by arbitration has long since been disposed of. The refusal of supplies to one of HER MAJESTY's ships of war will not tend to make an amicable adjustment of the matter in dispute more easy of attainment.

President KRUGER, of the Transvaal State, South Africa, it is gratifying to learn, is profiting by experience, and now proposes conferring the franchise on settlers after two years' residence in the Republic. This may doubtless be regarded as in some measure due to the strong statement on the subject recently made in the House of Commons by Mr. GLADSTONE, whom the Republic has good reason for considering its friend. At the same time, it is impossible to refrain from looking upon it as also the outcome in part of the disaffection caused by the exclusive legislation of the Boers, which had begun, somewhat roughly perhaps, but withal significantly, to manifest itself. It shows, moreover, that the *emeute* which a short time ago happened at Johannesberg was something more than a mere ebullition of drunken rowdyism such as the President described it when endeavouring to appease the irate Boers at Prætoria, who had offered to avenge by force of arms the insult then offered him. That, no doubt, was a very politic way of representing the affair when the object was to restrain the headlong passion to which those the President rules over are prone to give way. But it is, yet, not logically consistent with the information conveyed in an intermediate cable message, to the effect that three of the men who took part in the Johannesberg riot had been arrested and were brought into court on a charge of treason. The wild and irrational proceedings of a few intoxicated men would not have been deemed so serious a matter as to justify being dealt with as a grave State offence, and the very fact of the outbreak being so viewed and so treated shows that beneath the surface display of temper then resorted to there was a strong under-current of injured feeling and dissatisfaction to which it behoved the authorities of the State to give their earliest and most careful attention. It is certainly to the credit of President KRUGER that he has estimated the situation with a commendable accuracy, and has recommended a policy of conciliation and justice such as the circumstances called for. His position is obviously a peculiarly difficult one, being, as he undoubtedly is, politically in advance of his countrymen, and is yet obliged to carry them along with him in his desire to bring the legislation of the State into harmony with its new conditions. He at all events now perceives that the only way of saving the State is to abandon the protection of State privileges, and to do what is just by conferring equal political rights upon all its citizens. The exacting of a two years' residence as the condition on which the franchise may be obtained by the British immigrants may appear a niggardly way of granting such equality, but it is yet a step in the right direction, and may soon lead to more liberal concessions.

A case dealt with in the Bankruptcy Court yesterday shows how careful the profession ought to be in the issue of medical certificates. From the statement of Dr. RORKE it would appear that the certificate in this instance was granted under a misconception of the circumstances in connection with which it was intended to be used. The Judge expressed an opinion, while exempting the doctor from any intention of imposing on the Court, that there is in general some laxity shown in giving medical certificates in connection with the administration of justice. In cases where a person is summoned to appear in court as a witness, juryman, or otherwise, it is clear that a certain responsibility rests upon any medical man who may be called upon to certify as to his inability to attend. If the man be actually suffering from a disorder which may not prevent his being present in court, though the fact of his coming there may constitute a danger to life, it is manifestly the doctor's duty to certify to that effect. But it is no part of his business to express an opinion as to whether or not a witness, being well enough to attend Court, is in a condition to give evidence. That is for the Court to say, and not the doctor. A moment's consideration of the important issues that might depend on the attendance of a witness, or of the ease with which justice might be defeated by designing persons in the event of certificates being granted by the profession and accepted by the Courts at random will be quite sufficient to make clear the necessity for caution in such matters. In the case of Dr. RORKE, he appears to have been under the impression that the bankrupt would himself present the certificate. It would have saved both himself and the Court some trouble, however, had the doctor taken care to assure himself on this point. These certificates cannot be given with too much care. Under any circumstances they should be at least explicit.

THE Governor, Lord Carrington, attended by Captain Trench, left Sydney by the 5.15 express train for Gundagai last night. His Excellency, on his arrival at that place to-day, will visit the pastoral and agricultural show, which was opened yesterday. He will be met at the station by the Mayor and aldermen of Gundagai, who will present an address of welcome, and afterwards he will be driven, accompanied by an escort of mounted troopers, commanded by Captain Battye, to the hotel, where accommodation has been provided, and where he will hold a levée. Subsequently the Governor will receive addresses from the Freemasons in lodge and from the Catholic ladies of Gundagai. After luncheon he will proceed to the agricultural show, and in the evening will be banqueted. Lord Carrington will leave Gundagai by special train to-night for Moss Vale, arriving there on Thursday morning; and he will return to Sydney on Monday next.

THE Maharajah of Ulwar has decided not to visit Sydney.

A MEETING of the Executive took place yesterday, and some important matters were dealt with. It was decided to further prorogue Parliament till Tuesday, April 29, on which day members of both Houses will be called together for the despatch of business. Public holidays were approved in a number of districts, and a list of the names of about 100 gentlemen recommended for admission to the commission of the peace also received attention.

THE Minister for Justice left Sydney last night by the express for Maitland in order to attend the Dungog Agricultural Show. The Postmaster-General was to have accompanied him, but he found it impossible to do so. Mr. Gould expects to return to the city again on Friday morning.

A MEETING of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works was held in the Colonial Secretary's Department yesterday afternoon—Mr. J. P. Abbott, M.L.A., presided. The committee had under consideration the construction of the pro-

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posed cable tramway from King-street, via William-street, to Ocean-street. The Mayor of Sydney (Mr. Sydney Burdekin) was examined, and stated that the City Council favoured the construction of the line; but they thought they should receive a percentage on the earnings for the use of the streets. Mr. R. W. Richards, the City Surveyor, was also examined.

The sectional committee appointed by the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works to inquire into the proposed railway from Mudgee to Gulgong is expected to return to Sydney on Thursday. The committee left Gulgong for Mudgee yesterday, and will leave Mudgee for Sydney to-day.

The Public Works Committee will meet this afternoon, and will continue their consideration of the proposed cable tramway from King-street, via William-street, to Ocean-street. Mr. E. C. Cracknell, superintendent of telegraphs, is to be examined regarding the application of electricity to trams. Among other witnesses to be called is Mr. Belknap, the accredited agent for the "Thomson-Houston" electric tramway system of America. Dr. Garran's motions, to enable the committee to arrive at decisions upon the proposed railway from Moss Vale to Robertson, and the proposed bridge across the Hunter at Jerry's Plains, have been postponed till Thursday.

The tenders for various works which were received by the Railway Commissioners, as previously announced, were opened yesterday. It was found that those relating to the working of the blue-metal quarry at Bombo were not satisfactory, and it is not unlikely, therefore, that the quarry will be worked by the department.

The time when the Post Office tower will be fitted with a clock and bells is, it appears, to be still further delayed. Before leaving for Melbourne the Minister for Works gave instructions that if the contractor for the clock and bells did not furnish satisfactory answers to certain communications which had been addressed to him, the matter should be referred to the Treasurer (who is acting for the Minister for Works) with a view to the cancellation of the contract. No satisfactory replies came to hand within the time stipulated, and Mr. M'Millan yesterday caused the contract to be cancelled.

Considerable damage to the railway lines and interruption of traffic was caused by the excessively heavy rains of Monday night. On the main suburban line yesterday a subsidence of the down line occurred near Rookwood station, and traffic had to be conducted on the up line. A slip took place on the Mudgee line at Capertee, which interfered with the traffic in that district. Gangs of men were set to work as soon as the damage became known, to clear away the *débris*. The Illawarra line was also affected by the rains, slips happening in two or three places, and it was considered doubtful whether the trains would get through last night. The 5.30 train on that line stopped at Otford. A further slip took place on the North Coast line near Newcastle, but the interruption to the traffic was only momentary. Owing to the flooding of the river at Camden tram traffic was suspended. Officers from the Railway Department were sent out in different directions yesterday to inspect the lines, and every effort is being made to clear the ways and to render them safe. Fortunately none of the main lines were affected by the torrents.

Public holidays were approved yesterday by the Executive Council for the following centres:—Condobolin, Moama, and Adelong, Wednesday, the 26th instant; Gundagai and Howlong, Friday, the 28th instant; Oberon, Tuesday, April 1; electoral district of Queanbeyan, Wednesday, April 9; Warialda, Friday, April 11, and Thursday, May 15; Cudal, Bingera, and police district of Manning River, Thursday, April 17; Molong, Wednesday, April 30; Bathurst, Wednesday, April 16; Uralla, Monday, April 28; electoral district of Gloucester, Thursday, 27th instant; and Moss Vale, Friday, April 11.

The resignation of Mr. E. G. Ward, Registrar-General, was accepted by the Executive at their meeting yesterday, and Mr. Charles Hart Townley Pinhey was appointed to the position thus vacated. Mr. Pinhey, who is the eldest son of the Assistant Coroner, has been in the public service for 28 years. As a youth he entered the Lands Department, and was soon promoted to the Treasury, in which department he remained until by successive promotions he became senior inspector of public revenue accounts. Mr. Pinhey proved himself an able and experienced officer in the Treasury, and in the course of his duties as inspector from time to time was engaged in examining the accounts of the Registrar-General's Department. Mr. Ward, it should be mentioned, retires from office under the provisions of the Civil Service Act. He first entered the Civil Service in January, 1863, and was appointed to the position of Registrar-General and chairman of Land Titles Commissioners on the 15th December, 1870. The salary attached to the position is £800 per annum.

The P. and O. Company's steamer Coromandel is due here to-morrow from London. The Coromandel does not usually run to Australia. She was told off for the present trip at the last moment, and was found to be in first-class order for the long journey, notwithstanding that she was called on at brief notice. The Coromandel was last here about 18 months ago, and in the interval has been running between Calcutta and China. She will go back to Bombay and Calcutta from Australia. Bishop and Mrs. Selwyn are passengers to arrive here. They are booked through to Dunedin, and proceed hence by one of the Union Company's steamers. They joined the Coromandel at Ismailia.

It is expected that the steamer Sikh will be ready to float out of Mort's Dock on Tuesday next. The striking of the vessel coming through the Barrier channel has thus entailed dock work covering three weeks, which gives an idea of the extensiveness of the injury the Sikh sustained. Captain J. Rowley, who superintended the building of the steamer, for the Mogul Steamship Company, has unremittingly given his attention to the work as well as Lloyd's surveyor. Captain Rowley speaks well of the expeditious and thorough workmanlike manner in which Mort's Dock Company's people have carried out the repairs to his ship.

The Corinna, the Tasmanian Company's vessel, which was lately ashore at Bellambi, was taken on one of the slips at Mort's Dock yesterday. She is badly damaged. Huge dents have been made right along the vessel's bottom and on the port bilge about the fore hold. One plate is fractured, and here and there along the keel bruises and dents may be seen. The rudder post is broken completely adrift. It is apparent from the "scars" the hull of this fine steamer shows, now that she is exposed to view, that her escape from a total wreck was a narrow one.

The salvage steamer Sophia Ann returned from the wrecked steamer Riverina last night. She has been away since last Friday week, and has been out at sea most of the time, the severity of the weather precluding all opportunity of working at the wreck. The only cargo salved was anchors and chains and winches, and the steamer came up to Sydney for coal. She will go down to-day and Mr. Dent returns to the wreck, to see what prospect there may be to float the Riverina. She is still upright, but the sea rises and falls in her No. 1 and 2 holds forward, and the bottom of the vessel at that part is forced up several feet. There is a tremendous gap in the forward stokehole, and the two after lower holds (Nos. 3 and 4) are full of water, but it is believed that the hull is not much damaged there. Two divers are at work getting up the cargo. A large quantity of railway buffers has been got up and is ready for shipping, also windlasses, steering gear, and deck fittings. The Sophia Ann left the wreck for Sydney on Monday last. Part of the salvage consists of tramway rails and steam-winches. The salvage steamer Trident is down at the Riverina awaiting an opportunity to go alongside the wreck.

Two fractures occurred yesterday in the City Water Service mains. The more serious fracture took place at Moore Park, close to the spot where a similar fracture occurred a few days since. As in the previous case the fracture was due to the internal pressure to which the main was subjected consequent on the series of trials now being made with the new Worthington pump. The main is stated to be about 25 years old, and it is not surprising that the test proved too much for the pipe. So soon as the fracture was reported men were despatched to effect repairs, but the heavy fall of rain caused them to experience considerable difficulty in discovering the point from where the flow of water started, and owing to the fact that the main was laid at a depth of 10ft. below the surface. About midnight the fracture was found, and the work of repair immediately proceeded. It was hoped that the difficulty would be overcome early this morning. In the meantime the reservoir will run low, and will possibly cause residents in the high level district to be deprived of water for a time. While the engineer and his assistant were superintending the operations for the discovery of the fracture information was received that a 20in. low-level main in Kent-street had also been fractured, and that the flow of water was deluging the neighbourhood. In this case turncocks were soon upon the spot, and the flow was stopped. This fracture will not cause any inconvenience from deprivation of the water supply as the service will, pending repairs, be rendered effective by a secondary main.

A fatal boat accident has occurred at Tchio, New Caledonia. It was mentioned the other day that terrible weather had been experienced in the French convict colony. A hurricane swept over the place, and wrought immense damage to property, and in some instances resulted in loss of life. At Noumea several vessels were blown ashore. A letter has now been received containing the news of a boat accident and the drowning of three of the occupants including Captain Patterson of the barque Aldergrove. The Aldergrove is one of Mr. T. C. Guthrie's well-known Village line of ships, and Captain Patterson was many years chief officer of the ship Gretna trading to this port. He has many warm friends in Sydney, after years of steady painstaking as chief officer with Captain Young of the Gretna, was rewarded by getting command of the Aldergrove. He has lost his life during his first voyage as master. It seems that the boat left the ship to catch the mail steamer at Noumea, Captain Patterson and five of a crew embarking by it. Struck by the hurricane, the boat capsized an hour after leaving Tchio, where the ship was lying, and Captain Patterson and two of the five sailors perished. Their bodies were recovered and were buried in the cemetery at New Caledonia.

A paper has been read before the Society of Mechanical Engineers of New York on the performance of a new double-screw ferry steamer, the Bergen, now plying on the Hoboken ferry. The dimensions are—200ft. long, 62ft. overall, 32ft. 6in. on water-line, and 8ft. 10in. draught. The particulars, which appear in the *American Machinist* of a late date, go into a series of experiments tried in comparison with the paddle steamers, notably the Orange, the last new one launched in 1887. The peculiarity of the new steamer lies in her being built with a hull entirely on the V section, and it will be remembered that some time ago Mr. N. Selfe, of this city, read a paper and exhibited a model on this principle before the Engineering Association. Considerable difference of opinion then existed, both among that association and the shipping community. The Bergen is very stiff, averages 12½ knots on the ferry, and the paper concludes by saying practically she is preferred by passengers and pilots alike.

At the recent matriculation examination at the Sydney University, 27 pupils from the Sydney Grammar School qualified for a pass. D. Levy (first-class honours in classics, mathematics, and modern languages) won the classical scholarship, the scholarship for general proficiency, and the modern language scholarship. W. J. E. Davies (first-class honours in mathematics and second-class honours in classics) won the Freemasons' scholarship for general proficiency. G. H. B. Deck gained a first-class in mathematics; W. H. M'Clelland, third-class honours in classics and mathematics; J. M'Pherson and T. K. Waldron, third-class honours in classics.

Seventeen candidates from the Sydney High schools went up for the recent matriculation examination, and 16 passed, eight boys and eight girls. Several former pupils of the Public High schools have also highly distinguished themselves in the different yearly examinations, and in the B.A. examination two former pupils (Messrs. Sellors and Stewart) obtained the gold medals in mathematics and logic and mental philosophy respectively. At the matriculation S. L. Drummond obtained honours in classics, Latin and French, and mathematics; J. H. D. Brearley honours in mathematics (first-class) and Latin and French. The following also obtained honours in mathematics:—H. P. Seale (first-class), C. P. Watt, F. F. Copland, and A. E. James.

In the lists of successful candidates in the University examinations published yesterday, the name of A. J. P. G. Reynolds was omitted. He obtained second-class honours in logic and mental philosophy at the B.A. examination.

His Honor Mr. Justice Manning was engaged for a considerable time in the Bankruptcy Court yesterday, investigating a charge against a young man named Walter Everest, of having concealed moneys belonging to his creditors, with an attempt to defraud them. The matter was before the Court last Friday, when Everest was brought before his Honor under arrest, it having been discovered that he intended leaving Sydney by the Ormuz without appearing before the registrar on Friday, the day set down for his examination. The case was the first of its kind under the new Act, and in addition to that fact the case presented some novel features. Two of the witnesses who last Friday were committed to gaol for prevarication were re-examined to "tell the truth" which they humbly submitted to do after the severe lesson that had been taught them. Their evidence showed that Everest used them to deliver a medical certificate to the Court while he waited in the street for their reply, and that although he obtained a medical certificate, he was in no sense prevented from attending the court, as subsequent events proved. The case was of such a character that the Judge committed the bankrupt for trial to the next Criminal Court. Dr. Rorke, of North Shore, who gave the certificate to Everest, was examined at length by his Honor, who cautioned him to be more particular in future in giving certificates in connection with the administration of justice.

The only case of interest in the No. 1 Jury Court yesterday was that of Richards v. Cohen, in which the plaintiff sued the defendant (the manager of a loan and discount bank) to recover compensation for wrongful seizure of his furniture, goods, and effects in connection with the balance of an advance of £7 10s. The case stands as part heard. In the No. 2 Court the action Richardson v. the Sydney Agency and Finance Company was continued, and plaintiff's case lasted all day without being concluded. The Full Court, consisting of Mr. Justice Innes, Mr. Justice Stephen, and Mr. Justice Foster, sat for a short time during the morning, and, by a majority, granted defendant in the Equity suit of Lion Fire Insurance Company v. Neild leave to appeal to the Privy Council against the recent decision of the Court.

The case of Walker v. Burleigh, in which the plaintiff sought to recover possession of certain moneys, was continued yesterday in the Equity Court, before Mr. Justice Owen. Witnesses were called for the defence to show that in April last year, when an agreement out of which the suit arose was alleged to have been entered into, defendant had through over-indulgence in drink rendered himself practically irresponsible for his acts. One of the witnesses called to establish this line of defence was a girl aged 17 years. After this witness had left the box his Honor expressed strong disapproval of the action of counsel in bringing a young girl into court to prove that a man was a drunkard. Counsel admitted the justice of the remonstrance, and pleaded that he did not know the girl was so young.

His Honor Mr. Justice Windeyer sat in the Divorce Court yesterday morning, and granted a number of formal applications to settle issues for trial in May next. In the case of Davis v. Davis, his Honor made absolute with costs the decree nisi of the 5th August last for the dissolution of marriage between the parties. His Honor afterwards sat in the No. 3 Jury Court, but there being only one case on the list, in which no appearance was entered, it was struck out.

A statement prepared by the Stock Department, showing the number of horses, sheep, and cattle in the colony at the beginning of the year, has been received by the Secretary for Mines and Agriculture. The return is as follows:—Horses: Numbers returned on January 1, 1890, 430,777; on January 1, 1889, 411,368; increase, 19,409. Cattle: 1890, 1,741,592; 1889, 1,622,907; increase, 18,685. Sheep: 1890, 50,106,768; 1889, 46,503,469; increase, 3,603,299.

In accordance with his promise, the Mayor of Parramatta, Alderman W. J. Ferris, has caused an inspection to be made of the various dairies in the town, with a view to seeing that the water used in connection with the same is not of an *impure* nature. The Mayor is satisfied that the water found on certain premises by an officer of the Board of Health, and condemned as impure, is not so, and has not been used in connection with the dairies otherwise than for washing carts. The local inspector was ordered to make strict inquiries, and to warn dairy-keepers that the conditions of the Act will be rigidly enforced.

A debate took place in the Town Hall, Leichhardt, last evening, the subject being "Spiritualism: Is it True?" Mr. R. White affirmed, and Pastor B. Smith, of the local Baptist church, denied. Mr. John Colbron presided, and there was a fair attendance. Each speaker was allowed half an hour, and two quarters of an hour, and each was frequently applauded. The debate was opened by Mr. White, who stated that he and his opponent were seekers after truth from different standpoints. He then went on to define spiritualism as being a conviction that those who were called dead were still living in a higher phase of being, and that, under certain conditions, they could and did communicate with those in the flesh. Mr. Smith denied that there was any reality in spiritualism, or that it was founded on fact. He quoted the 9th and 10th verses of Ecclesiastes to show that it was utterly impossible for the dead to communicate with the living. He had had a sitting with a medium, but obtained no evidence of the dead having communicated with the living. The medium went into a trance, and shook so violently that he (Mr. Smith) felt inclined to get up from the table and run out of the room. Mr. White read copious extracts from the report of the sub-committees formed by the Dialectical Association of London to investigate the phenomena of spiritualism; also from the works of Alfred Russell Wallace, Robert Hare, Professor Challis, and several other scientific men, enthusiasts in the belief of spiritualism. The spiritualistic phenomena occurred strictly in accordance with natural laws. There was nothing supernatural about them, but they were not so universally known as the material laws. Mr. Smith concluded with a vigorous denunciation of spiritualism, the manifestations of which, he maintained, could only be accounted for by mundane agency. At the conclusion of the debate the chairman said the speakers were not desirous of putting the question to the vote, preferring that the audience should exercise their own judgment as to the truth or otherwise of spiritualism.

The Victorian Crown Law authorities have (says the *Argus*) decided on the action to be taken against the Rev. N. Kinsman, of Fitzroy, with regard to his conduct in marrying a minor without the consent of her parents. The prosecution in the case arises out of the trial of W. H. S. Furness, who was arraigned at the criminal sittings of the Supreme Court last Monday, before Mr. Justice Williams, on the charge of having married Jessie Thompson, a minor, aged 16, without the consent of her mother, who is her only parent. Furness and Miss Thompson were married on the 13th of last month at Fitzroy by Mr. Kinsman, and Furness then produced a letter purporting to be from Miss Thompson's mother, who resides at Launceston, giving her consent to his marriage with her daughter. The letter, however, was written by Miss Thompson, and was proved to be a forgery; but even had it not been, the conduct of Mr. Kinsman in marrying the parties on its authority was, in the opinion of the law officers, illegal, as, according to the Marriage and Matrimonial Causes Statute, no person is allowed to marry a minor if her parents or guardians are out of the colony, except on the written consent of some justice of the peace appointed *for* that purpose. At the trial of Furness, Mr. Justice Williams made some very strong observations on the manner in which Mr. Kinsman had acted, and said that the breach of the law committed by Furness would never have taken place if Mr. Kinsman had conducted his business as he ought to have done. It has now been decided to proceed against Mr. Kinsman for his breach of the law, and a summons is to be issued.

It will be seen on reference to our advertising columns that arrangements are being completed for the holding of the Agricultural Society's show at Moore Park from the 2nd to the 8th April. Allotments of outdoor space will take place this morning.

The Berrima Agricultural Show has been postponed to April 10, 11, and 12.

We have received from the Government Printing Office copies of the time-tables for the English mails during the year 1890. The tables are issued on two different sheets, one of which gives merely the approximate dates of departure and arrival from Sydney and London. The other table furnishes, in a tabulated form, the date at which the steamers may be expected to arrive at each port of call on the voyage.

The Goold Memorial Primitive Methodist Church Bazaar will be opened in the Oddfellows' Hall, Redfern, this afternoon.

We are requested to state, with regard to the State school bursaries, that Florence M. Brown was a pupil of Plunkett-street Girls' School, not Glenmore-road school, as stated yesterday.

The following is the report for the week ended March 22 of the number of pauper patients under treatment in the metropolitan hospitals at the Government expense:—Coast Hospital: Admissions, 19 males, 4 females; discharges, 15 males, 7 females; deaths, 2 males, 2 females; number remaining, 135 males, 42 females. Sydney Hospital: Admissions, 6 males, 9 females; discharges, 11 males, 5 females; deaths, 1 female; number remaining, 37 males, 30 females. Moorcliff Eye Hospital: Admissions, 1 male; number remaining, 28 males, 19 females. Prince Alfred Hospital: Admissions, 10 males, 3 females; discharges, 8 males, 5 females; deaths, 3 males; number remaining, 46 males, 21 females.

THE INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC.

SEVERAL CASES REPORTED.

THE POLICE SUFFERING.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The influenza epidemic has reached Victoria, cases having occurred at North Brighton. Dr. Gresswell saw a number of persons affected, and he has no doubt in his mind that the complaint is that which has ravaged Europe. With the exception of one old woman, the cases were of a mild character. Information was received to-day that some of the police in the South Melbourne Barracks had caught the infection, and cases had appeared at Fitzroy and East St. Kilda.

At a meeting of the Board of Health it was decided that it would be useless to attempt to isolate the disease. The only action the board could take was to ask Dr. Gresswell to prepare a leaflet of instructions as to the symptoms and best treatment. Mr. J. C. Stewart has mentioned that his wife, now in London, suffered from influenza there, and wrote that so far as she could judge it was the same as the "fog fever" which was so prevalent in Melbourne a couple of years ago. Dr. Gresswell thought the climate of Victoria would be rather more favourable to the spread of the disease than the climates of colder countries, but was of opinion that the effects could be minimised by the exercise of prudence and care in the case of the persons developing the symptoms.

HOBART, Tuesday.

A number of cases of influenza have occurred here. The malady is of a mild character.

AUCKLAND, Tuesday.

The influenza epidemic is causing a great diminution in the school attendance at Christchurch. All the cases in New Zealand are, so far, of a very mild character. The weather, which has been hot and dry for months, has now broken, and reports from all quarters describe it as cold and wet.

CABLEGRAMS.

(From our Correspondent.)

THE QUEENSLAND LOAN.

LONDON, March 25.

The Queensland loan recently floated is now quoted at £2 10s premium.

THE AUSTRALIAN COLTS.

LONDON, March 24.

The *Times* states that the *debut* of the Australian colts at Newmarket is awaited with much interest.

PROBABLE STRIKE OF TAILORS.

LONDON, March 24.

A strike of tailors in the East-end of London is imminent.

FRANCE AND TURKEY.

LONDON, March 25.

France continues the temporary commercial convention with Turkey.

THE TRANSVAAL QUESTION.

LONDON, March 24.

President Kruger, of the Transvaal Republic, proposes that the settlers shall be allowed to vote after two years' residence in the republic.

THE SWEATING COMMISSION.

LONDON, March 25.

The Earl of Dunraven has resigned his position on the commission appointed from the House of Lords to inquire into the sweating system in the London labour market because the draft report which he had drawn up was not taken into consideration by the commission.

[Some of the above appeared in a portion of yesterday's issue.]

PRINCE BISMARCK'S RETIREMENT.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 25.

The Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria and King Humbert of Italy have written to Prince Bismarck, expressing regret at his resignation, and admitting that his services to the German Empire have been in the direction of the maintenance of peace.

MEETING OF EMPERORS.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 25.

The Emperor William and the Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria will meet shortly.

ENGLAND AND PORTUGAL.

SUPPLIES REFUSED TO A BRITISH MAN-OF-WAR.

BRITISH OFFICERS INSULTED.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 25.

The Portuguese merchants of Mozambique, acting under orders from the Governor of the place, have refused to supply a British man-of-war stationed there. They have also insulted the officers of the vessel.

BULGARIA AND SERVIA.

SERVIA FORTIFYING.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 25.

In consequence of the existence of strained relations between Bulgaria and Servia, the Servian Government is fortifying the Bulgarian frontier.

THE CANADIAN ATLANTIC SERVICE.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 24.

Parleying has been renewed on behalf of Canada with British shipping houses, in order to arrange an Atlantic mail service.

The present effort is likely to be successful, as the scheme has strong financial backing.

THE ENGINEERS' STRIKE.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 24.

The demands of the engineers on strike at Newcastle will be granted in May, and the strike has therefore terminated.

THE DOCK STRIKE AT LIVERPOOL.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 24.

The Firemen's Union threatens to block the Liverpool dock-owners if non-unionists are taken on to supersede the strikers.

THREATENED STRIKE OF BARGEMEN.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 25.

The master bargemen on the River Medway threaten that if the strike is unsettled on April 1 they will withdraw all the bargemen below Tilbury, which will affect 20,000 men.

THE CHILDREN.

Writing of Fry's Pure Cocoa, W. R. R. Stanley, Esq., M.D., says:—"It is the drink par excellence for children, and gives no trouble in making."—[Advt.]

THE IRISH LAND PURCHASE BILL.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 24.

The Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, Secretary for Ireland, has introduced into the House of Commons the Irish Land Purchase Bill of the present Government. Its provisions are an improvement on Lord Ashbourne's Irish Holdings Act, and it is a cheaper and more rapid process, as purchase will be voluntary. There will be no risk to the British taxpayer, though British credit will be utilised. The maximum advance under the bill is fixed at 20 years' rent, less the local rates paid by the landlords. The total advances will amount to 33 millions sterling, representing the capitalised value of numerous Imperial annual grants to Ireland, thus forming a guarantee of 33 millions plus the 10 millions advanced under the Ashbourne Act, which, being relent, will be regarded as paid off.

Mr. Gladstone admitted that the bill was evidence of a courageous policy on the land question in Ireland, and Mr. Balfour promised that an unbiassed discussion should be afforded on the merits of the measure.

It was read the first time, and will be read the second time on April 15.

March 25.

Mr. Balfour contended that the collateral securities provided rendered it impossible for the Treasury to suffer a loss of one sixpence. The congested districts in Ireland would receive a special contribution of £1,500,000 from the Church surplus, while the landlords would receive £2,750,000 in stock or consols.

The bill has made a favourable impression in the House of Commons, except upon the Parnellite party.

Mr. Gladstone, speaking at the National Liberal Club, said that Mr. Balfour's bold big measure involved a large pecuniary liability to the British taxpayer.

VISIT OF THE QUEEN TO THE CONTINENT.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 24.

Her Majesty the Queen, accompanied by Princess Beatrice, has left England for Aix-les-Bains.

THE AFGHAN PRETENDER.

IMPRISONED BY RUSSIA.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 24.

Ishak Khan, the Afghan revolutionary, has been interned by the Russian authorities at Samarkand.

A NEW AUSTRALIAN LINER.

THE R.M.S. ORUBA.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 24.

The Orient Company's R.M.S. Liguria will, after her next voyage, be replaced in the Australian service by the steamer Oruba.

THE BEET SUGAR PRODUCTION.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 24.

Mr. F. O. Licht estimates that the six months' production of beet sugar will show an increase of 778,000 tons. He considers that the total surplus for the campaign will be 814,000 tons.

AN AUSTRALIAN ACTRESS.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 24.

Miss Myra Kemble has accepted an engagement to play at the Prince of Wales' Theatre in London in April next.

THE AUSTRALIAN HORSES.

LINCOLN SPRING MEETING.

PLUTARCH'S PERFORMANCES.

DERBY BETTING.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 24.

The Hon. J. White's br g Plutarch, by Chester—Cameo, who took part in the Trial Plate, w.f.a., 1 mile, at the Lincoln Spring Meeting to-day, finished last.

The betting for the Derby shows 18 to 1 v. Kirkham and Narellan (the Australian colts) coupled.

THE UNIVERSITY BOAT RACE.

[By Cable.]
(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, March 24.

The betting on the Oxford and Cambridge boat race, which will take place on Wednesday next, is now 6 to 4 on Cambridge.

It is feared that the Oxford crew have been over-trained.

THE MOSS VALE SHOW.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

MOSS VALE, Tuesday.

The Moss Vale show has been postponed to the 10th, 11th, and 12th April, owing to the continued wet weather.

MURDER AT ST. KILDA.

A YOUNG MAN SHOOTS HIS UNCLE.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

At 20 minutes past 12 o'clock this morning two men reported to the St. Kilda police that, when passing the end of Vale-street, off High-street, St. Kilda, they had heard a cry of murder and the report of a pistol. Sergeant Irwin and Constables Slater and Ryan went to the spot at once, and found a young man, named George Thomas May, son of a nurseryman at St. Kilda, with a bullet-wound through his right breast, quite dead. The body was removed to the house of his father, close to where it was found. None of the residents in the neighbourhood heard any struggle, although there is a rumour that the footsteps of someone running away were heard.

Later.

The body was conveyed to the house of May's father close at hand, in which were the father, Mr. May, his daughter, Mrs. Bennett, who is a widow, and her son John Henry Bennett, 17 years of age. Mrs. Bennett stated that soon after the murder must have been committed she heard someone come hurrying into the house, but on being pressed she said that, being suddenly aroused from sleep at night, she could only have imagined it. Her son was in bed when the police arrived, apparently asleep, which they regarded as a very unusual circumstance. Mrs. Bennett explained that when she found her brother past all hope, she advised her son not to get up as he could do no good. Detective-Sergeant Causey, on being informed of the fact, questioned the lad, who at first denied all knowledge of the matter, but after a severe cross-examination, he inquired whether it would be better for him to tell all he knew. He was advised to make a clean breast of it, whereupon he confessed to having murdered his uncle, adding that he did so because he had illtreated his mother. He said he threw the revolver into an adjoining timber yard, where the police found it. He was then arrested for murder.

About a fortnight ago the deceased and Mrs. Bennett had a quarrel, when May took her by the shoulders and shook her, and young Bennett imagining his mother was badly treated, determined upon revenge. On Saturday, in company with a friend, he purchased a revolver. It was the habit of May to go out on Monday nights, returning late. Bennett, knowing of this habit, awaited his uncle's return shortly after 11. As the uncle opened the back gate Bennett presented the pistol, and fired point blank, the bullet striking May in the right breast. May staggered, and turned to run, calling "murder!" He then dropped dead. Bennett threw away the pistol and went home to bed. He has been working for some time at an iron foundry in St. Kilda, and was regarded as steady and industrious. He expressed no regret when taken to the police station. He has been remanded for a week. The deceased was a single man, aged 29.

THE FLOODS IN QUEENSLAND.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

News from Townsville states that the water over the Macrossan bridge is 40ft.; telegraph wires have been carried away; the lower part of Charters Towers is flooded; the flood in Townsville is the highest ever known; boats have been rescuing families all night. It is estimated that 150 families are homeless. Serious damage has been done to property. The Clare River is 50ft. above summer level, and is rising rapidly.

In Brisbane it rained heavily all night and this morning, and fears are entertained, though there is no immediate danger, of a flood from the Upper Brisbane. Some streets in the suburbs are already covered with water. The rainfall for 24 hours to 9 this morning was 2·71 inches. Heavy floods have occurred at Yeulba, Roma, and Miles. Families are flooded out, and have removed to places of safety. The Sydney mail train did not leave to-night. The rain is general all over the colony.

Later.

Latest news from Townsville states that the floods there are a foot higher than the great flood of 1884. It is feared the loss of life will be very great.

THE POLITICAL SITUATION IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

THE LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION AT EAST TORRENS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

Mr. Playford, leader of the Opposition, addressed the electors of East Torrens on Monday night. He reviewed the work in the House during the past three years, and said the Cockburn Ministry had only given effect to the late Government's proposals. Referring to Dr. Cockburn's manifesto, he remarked that the Premier said there were two pillars of his policy. He (Mr. Playford) could not see anything in the policy about affording protection to the producer, unless he meant a protective tariff, which was not new. The other pillar, giving increased facilities for settlement on the land, did not embrace much, unless it was a system of free selection before survey. He was a bitter opponent of free selection before survey. Taxation was the most important part of the policy, for the Government had taken up what was known as a progressive land tax. In a vigorous speech he opposed the proposal altogether. Several other matters were referred to, notably that of education. Although in favour of a capitation grant, Mr. Playford said he would not for the next three years have anything to do with it.

THE NEW ZEALAND EXHIBITION.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

DUNEDIN, Tuesday.

The following awards have been made in the mineral and timber exhibits:—

New South Wales Awards.—R. C. Bell, Sydney, first, cedar; Department of Mines, Sydney, first-class awards for the following timbers—commercial, engraving, general, and veneering, also for parquetry work and turnery. Exhibits of N. S. W. Technological Museum, first for a large collection of tanning, medicinal, and fibre barks and dye woods; Mines Department, first for a collection of fossils, the jurors desiring to draw special attention to this remarkably fine collection of Australian fossils; W. F. Wiesener, Sydney, first for scientific instruments; Mines Department, first for reef and alluvial gold and auriferous lodestone from Temora, Adelong, Mobb's Reef, Braidwood, Homeward Bound, Yalwal, Baker's Creek, Hillgrove; antimony, Eleanora mine, Great Red Rock, Fairfield, Saw Pit Gully, Mount Carrington, Timbarra, Delaney's Dyke, Molong, Chesney's, Cobar, Mount Grey, Blayney, Gordon Mine, Yeovale, Locksley, Razorback, Capertee. First awards for the following private exhibits:—Sunlight Gold-mining Company, Cumningal, Nambucca, J. Bullock, Major's Creek, Herbert Park, Armidale, J. Heintz, J. Haldwell; second class award, J. Poupart, Last Chance; first awards, Department of Mines, copper ore, silver ores, special award; second class, Castle Rag Silver-mining Company; third class, Wallah Wallah Silver-mining Company. First award, Department of Mines, iron chrome, manganese, &c.; first, Geo. Smith, antimony ores, first tin ores; Department of Mines, Spiers and Riggs, Oban mine; stream-tin, first, Department of Mines; general collection of iron chromium, cobalt, &c., copper ores, general collection, antimony ores, general collection, auriferous specimens ditto, bismuth, wolfram, zinc, &c., ditto, tin ores ditto, silver ores ditto firsts; T. H. Horton, Fairfield, for general collection of minerals, New England and district: Department of Mines, first, gems, cut and uncut; commended, Spiers and Rigg; gems, Wooller and Main, first for graphite; first, Andrew Rowan and Co., Mudgee, sharpening stones; Baron von Mueller first for samples of Australian woods in book form. The jurors desire to call attention to the special excellence of the exhibits from the Minister for Mines for New South Wales.

SECOND EDITION.

FEARFUL HURRICANE AT TOWNSVILLE.

PHENOMENAL RAINFALL.

PEOPLE TAKE REFUGE IN SCHOOLS AND HOTELS.

THE FLOOD THE HIGHEST EVER KNOWN.

LOSS OF LIFE.

THE STEAMER ARAMAC IN THE GALE.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

TOWNSVILLE, Wednesday Morning.

The hurricane which commenced at 8 o'clock on Sunday night continued for 12 hours. It rained all night. On Monday the wind increased to a terrific gale, accompanied with heavy rain. Twenty inches fell in 60 hours. Business was suspended. The barometer was falling all day and at 5 p.m. it was 29·5. Darkness approached under the most terrifying circumstances. The winds were stronger than ever, and the rain heavier, and people anticipated a terrible catastrophe. At 3 o'clock the barometer commenced to rise. The wind suddenly fell, but the rain increased and fell intensely all day. It was not safe to walk about the streets, as iron was flying about in all directions. The view seaward was terrific. Most of the line of breakwaters was invisible, and when visible it was seen that the sea was breaking over the main jetty, and the spray was 30ft. high. It is anticipated that the jetty will be wrecked. People prepared for the night most gloomily. One hundred and ten people took refuge in the depot, and 40 on Ross Island. The schools and hotels were crowded. Boats were sent out to Hermit Park, but none were wanted.

At Ross Island the flood reached the highest point known. It was a foot higher than the flood of 1884. A number of houses at Hermit Park and on Ross Island have six feet of water in them. On Monday the steam-dredging plant at Ross Creek broke away, and brought up against Philp's Wharf, but early this morning it again broke away, taking the lighter Telephone, containing 108 bales of wool, and the Electric Light with her. The Telephone sank opposite the Crown Hotel, and the Electric Light is now riding on top of her all right.

A contractor named Joseph Vidulich was upset in a boat and swept out to sea. He was taken two miles out, but finally swam ashore after being two hours in the water. He has lost the steam launch Eleanor, the ketch Snowdrop, and his workshop was blown down. Vidulich estimates his loss at £800. The Customs launch broke away from her moorings and sank.

About £10,000 worth of damage was done in the town and suburbs. About 15 small houses were wrecked by the wind, 30 were blown off their blocks, and three or four were washed away. About 40 verandahs were demolished. The eastern breakwater stood the test magnificently. Only a few feet, on which was a small lighthouse, was carried away. The western breakwater, now being constructed, lost 50ft.

All the shipping, under the lee of the jetty and Magnetic Island, rode out the gale splendidly, though the sea was mountains high. The Aramac took 20 hours to steam 19 miles to get under Magnetic Island. Captain Lake says it was the most terrific gale he ever experienced.

Only two lives have been lost, viz., Townsend, who was washed off a butcher's cart near Willmett Well, Aitkinvale, and Mrs. Henry Bell, who was killed by her kitchen being blown down on her.

To-day was fine and calm, and the water is subsiding. Everybody is relieved. The Customs cutter has gone to look for two boys at Rattlesnake Island, who are weatherbound. The wharfs are all above water. The flood put the gas out.

The pilot service men did grand work. Much apprehension is now felt for the Lower Burdekin people, as the river is 90ft. above the Macrossan Bridge.

SIR HENRY PARKES IN MELBOURNE.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Special Reporter.)

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

After a good passage the R.M.S. Ormuz arrived at Port Phillip Heads at 7 o'clock on Monday morning. Notwithstanding that the vessel was compelled to lay to a couple of hours on Saturday night on account of the thick weather, the Heads were reached in 42 hours from Sydney. On her arrival at the Heads there was only 25ft. of water in the South Channel, and as the Ormuz was drawing 26¼ft., the anchor was cast, and a wait of six or seven hours followed. In all 13 hours were occupied in getting up the bay, and as a consequence, Sir Henry Parkes did not come ashore until this morning about 9 o'clock. Acting on instructions from his superior officer, Tide-Surveyor Scot, in the Customs launch, steamed alongside the Ormuz, and transhipped the Premier and steamed to the Port Melbourne railway pier, where Sir Henry Parkes landed. He proceeded to town by the 9 o'clock train, and drove direct to Government House and met Lord Hopetoun, who was on the point of leaving for Portland to attend the regatta. His Excellency placed at Sir Henry Parkes's disposal his private room during his stay in Melbourne. In the course of the day Sir Henry Parkes called at the Treasury, but failed to see Mr. Gillies, who was absent for the day. It is probable that an interview between the two Premiers will take place to-morrow morning, when the question of bringing the federation proposals before the Australian Parliaments will be discussed. It is understood that, whether Victoria consents to this course or not, Sir Henry Parkes will take action in that direction when the New South Wales Parliament assembles. The Murray River affair will not be introduced by Sir Henry Parkes, who is understood to remain firm to the decision communicated by letter to the Victorian and South Australian Governments some short while ago.

To-day Sir Henry Parkes received from Mr. James Bell, Minister of Defence, an invitation to join Rear-Admiral Lord Charles Scott and party in a visit round the ports, but Sir Henry respectfully declined the invitation on account of being fatigued, and desiring to utilise all the time at his disposal in the questions of intercolonial importance and interest. By the express train which arrived here this morning Sir Henry Parkes received a mail-bag from Sydney, containing numerous important official papers, which received immediate attention, and were returned to Sydney by the following mail. Amongst the letters to hand was one from a member of the Imperial Parliament, dated February 14, saying that at no previous period in the history of England had a colonial question excited so much and so intelligent an interest, both in the press and amongst Imperial statesmen, as the proposal to federate Australia. If, the letter adds, there was any question before now as to who was entitled to be called the Grand Old Man of the colonial empire, it has been entirely removed by the press and public men of Great Britain, who had one and all recognised Sir Henry Parkes' speeches as reflecting the highest qualities of statesmanship. Sir Henry Parkes also received numerous flattering editorial comments, cut from the *Times* of February 11, from the *Hull Advertiser*, the *Bradford Observer*, the *Birmingham Daily Post*, the *Manchester Courier*, the *Glasgow Mail*, the *Economist*, and other leading English newspapers.

Sir Henry Parkes made several calls during the day, but spent most of his time at Government House in dealing with the despatches forwarded from Sydney.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

Sir Henry Parkes was invited by Lord Kintore to stay with him while here, but Sir Henry is unable to accept the invitation of his Excellency owing to the shortness of his visit. The directors of the Broken Hill Proprietary Company intend to meet Sir Henry Parkes at Broken Hill, and will discuss with him the general mining interests of the district.

INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondents.)

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday

Dr. J. Summers is making arrangements to afford the Melbourne public an opportunity of hearing Mr. W. T. Best on the Town Hall organ.

Three men have been arrested for the robbery of goods from the Nhill railway station. Large quantities of stolen articles were found on searching their premises.

Reports furnished to the Postmaster-General show that since September, 1887, when the department took over the business of the Melbourne Telephone Exchange Company, 1800 subscribers had been added. Taking the number of subscribers and their employees into consideration, it is estimated that the telephones in Melbourne are now used by 10,000 persons. 2379 miles of wire have been provided to accommodate new subscribers.

Mr. Matthew Burnett, the temperance advocate, sails for England per the Ormuz on Friday.

The charge of manslaughter against Edward Nixon, continued from yesterday, was concluded at the Criminal Court to-day. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty, and the prisoner was discharged.

The results of the trials of the prisoners charged with perjury in connection with the trial of Stephen Cutler for the murder of Ah Gayong, in Market-lane, in November, 1888, have for some time past been under the serious consideration of the Crown law officers. Five prisoners were tried and convicted and sentenced to nine years' imprisonment. Another batch of five were acquitted. The Government decided that the term might be reduced to three years. The Governor will be recommended to reduce the sentences to that term.

Upwards of £152 has already been subscribed to the Ormond National Memorial Fund.

The cricket match, Trinity College v. Queen's College, was concluded to-day. Trinity scored 355 for five wickets, and then declared the innings closed. Lutton was bowled for a score of 200, only giving one chance throughout the innings. Queen's College, in their second innings, made 83, Trinity winning by an innings and 247 runs.

Arrivals.—March 25, Pateena (s.), from Launceston; Fiado (s.), from Newcastle. Departures.—March 25, R.M.S. Coramandel, for Sydney; Newcastle (s.), for Launceston; Rotomahana (s.), for New Zealand; Manganna (s.), for north-west ports Tasmania; Maranoa (s.), Buninyong (s.), Adelaide (s.), for Sydney; Barrabool (s.), Victorian (s.), for Adelaide; Otea, barque, for Newcastle.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

William Henry Wells, charged with the wilful murder of John Joseph O'Halloran, at Downfall Creek, on 29th December last, whilst deceased was taking improper liberties with the prisoner's wife, was convicted to-day of manslaughter. He was recommended to mercy on account of the strong provocation he received. He was remanded for sentence.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

The Inspector of Mines has made a very favourable report of the Bird in Hand and Ridge mines, in the Woodside district.

The Government have decided to send Mr. Rosewarne, Inspector of Mines, to represent the colony at the Mining Exhibition in London.

NEW ZEALAND.

AUCKLAND, Tuesday.

H.M.S. Egeria arrived at Wangaroa to-day.

The steeplechasers Vanguard, Melrose, and Warwick were shipped to Sydney to-day.

IRRIGATION CONFERENCE IN MELBOURNE.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

An Irrigation Conference, convened by the Minister of Water Supply, Mr. Deakin, was opened to-day. About 70 gentlemen were present, including Mr. J. B. Donkin, a member of the New South Wales Water Conservation Commission. Mr. Deakin delivered the opening address, in the course of which he vigorously defended the irrigation policy of the Government. He said it was being criticised before there was any chance of showing the results. The amount expended on national works and lent to irrigation trusts had been very greatly exaggerated, and people seemed to have an altogether erroneous impression as to the responsibilities entered into. Up to the present only £288 000 had been advanced to the irrigation trusts, and £186,000 invested in national irrigation works. There were 25 trusts, but none had yet had an opportunity of demonstrating their usefulness. He expected that the season after next half of the trusts would be in operation. Till then they would not be called upon to pay interest on the capital invested, but after that they would be called upon to pay what was due on the expenditure whilst the works were in course of construction.

HENRY GEORGE IN MELBOURNE.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Henry George arrived by the Sydney express this morning, and was welcomed by the executive committee of the Land Values Tax Association of Victoria and other gentlemen. He was driven to the Grand Hotel, where an address of welcome was presented from the Land Nationalisation Society. Mr. George returned thanks for the kind reception that had been extended to him. He remarked that he quite understood how the system of protection had found favour in this colony. It had been promised by those who espoused it that it would do something for labour. It appeared to working men that they would get more through protectionists than those who falsely called themselves freetraders. The battle of freetrade had yet to be won, however, and the men who would carry freetrade to its full culmination would be those who would bring about the reform that Richard Cobden fought for—the reform that would make it impossible for women and children to die of hunger. It seemed to him that the men who appreciated the real dignity of labour could not long continue to be protectionists. All that labour wanted was freedom and justice, and that was the end and aim of the movement he represented.

During the afternoon several ladies and gentlemen called on Mr. and Mrs. George.

The Town Hall was filled to-night on the occasion of Mr. George's first address on "Progress and Poverty." Dr. W. Molony, M.L.A., was in the chair. Mr. George incidentally mentioned that he visited Melbourne 35 years ago. He contended that the rise in wages at the time of the gold discoveries was not due to the gold, but to the fact of the land being thrown open to the people. His address was substantially the same as that delivered in Sydney. He was attentively listened to, and frequently applauded.

THE CLARENCE RAILWAY AND HARBOUR LEAGUE.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

GRAFTON, Tuesday.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Clarence Railway and Harbour League, held yesterday, it was resolved to call a public meeting to protest against the recommendations of the Public Works Committee both as regards the Clarence harbour works and the Grafton-Tweed railway being started from the Tweed to Lismore, and to urge upon the Government the necessity of carrying out Sir John Coode's designs for the harbour works in their entirety; also that the whole line of railway from Grafton to the Tweed be carried out as originally submitted by the Premier to Parliament as a first instalment of the North coast line.

THE RAIN AND FLOODS.

YESTERDAY'S EXTRAORDINARY RAINFALL.

THE THUNDERSTORM LAST NIGHT.

COUNTRY INUNDATED FOR MILES.

PAST RECORDS ECLIPSED.

SETTLERS AGAIN DRIVEN FROM THEIR HOMES.

RAILWAY AND POSTAL INTERRUPTION.

FURTHER LANDSLIPS.

THE RECENT FATALITY.

The worst news that is to hand respecting the renewal of the heavy wet weather is that which refers to settlers in parts of the country having again to seek safety on high lands. At Mogo, at Camden, and other places in the country, our correspondents' messages mention the fact that many residents on the flat lands have already taken refuge in the manner stated. It is fervently to be hoped that the faint indications of a break for fine weather which have shown themselves will prove permanent. The rainfall yesterday was very heavy. In the city 5·66 were measured at 9 a.m. for the 24 hours. There thus fell 3·49 in Sydney during Monday night. The total rainfall is 8·85 since Sunday last, 11·81 since the 1st of March, and the grand total for the year to date is 38·90, the heaviest fall on record in the weather history of the colony. The next highest is 25·68 in 1873, so that this year has eclipsed the previous record by 60 per cent. The heaviest part of the rain was from 1 a.m. to 1.30 a.m. yesterday, when 6-10ths of an inch fell, but it has been an almost continuous rain. There was a few hours respite from 9 a.m. yesterday, just enough sunshine to raise the hope that a fine day was in store for the colony, but last night, about 6 o'clock, a thunderstorm, with vivid and frequent lightning, from the S.W., broke over the city, and, as will be seen from our telegrams, over a large area of the colony, the rain fell in torrents.

In the Western suburbs the residents of the low-lying localities have suffered during the past two days. Cook's River is much swollen, and in consequence of the river breaking over the banks a number of properties have been flooded. The bridge at Croydon Park, which at the ordinary level is fully 15ft. above the river, was submerged by 2ft. or 3ft. of water. The gardeners will be heavy losers. It is stated that the bridge over Cook's River at Punchbowl-road has been carried away. In Ashfield and Burwood large sheets of water are to be seen on the low lands, while at South Ashfield families have had to remove to more comfortable quarters. As mentioned yesterday, there are scores of dwellings in the Marrickville district surrounded by water, and yesterday's tremendous rainfall has flooded all the low level suburbs of Sydney, causing desolation and ruin. Nearly three-quarters of an inch of rain fell from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. yesterday in the city, to be added to the heavy fall in the small hours of yesterday morning. The wind blew from every point between east and west, southabout, at some time or other during yesterday, and at 2 a.m. to-day it had hauled into the west again, with a clear, starlight sky. The heaviest rains reported from the country are:—Cape George, 6in.; Wollongong, 6·60; Bodalla, 5·84; Picton, 5·22; Bowral, 4·02; Moruya, 4in.; Port Stephens, 3·52; Mount Victoria, 3·54; Newcastle, 3·85. Over the range it has not been as heavy—Orange, 1·93; Bathurst, 1·82; Bourke, 1·15; Dubbo, 2·00; Molong, 1·40, and Marsden (where it is much needed), 2·15. All the Riverina district is much in want of it. Hay only got 87 points, and the further into the S.W. of the colony the rain gets lighter. Wentworth none, Menindie none. Narandera and that locality, indeed all the southernmost of the colony, is suffering from a drought of three months' duration, no rain worth mentioning having fallen since December last. How gladly the waste surplus from the flooded districts up north would be welcomed in those parts need not be dwelt upon. The feeders to the Darling, say the reports from Surat, Yualba, and Miles, ensure a flood at Bourke, where, at 9 a.m., the river was up 41ft. 9in., and rising. The inundation of the country for miles there is regarded a certainty. Last night it was showery at Cape St. George; Newcastle had it fine, Deniliquin, calm and cloudy; Wilcannia and Dubbo, light wind and cloudy; Temora, much in want of rain, received nearly an inch yesterday. On the Clarence, Wingham has had no less than 46in. of rain since the beginning of the year. Some reports to hand last night give Bega 4·90in. At Burwood 6in. fell in 24 hours, and 2in. on Monday. Pearce's Corner has 8in. 60 points to its credit since Saturday, and Parramatta 40 points on Sunday, 2·15 on Monday, and 4·09 yesterday. The total for March is 12·29. A number of reports were posted at the Government telegraph office, including the following:—

Windsor.—9 a.m., calm, showery; river risen about 12ft. over bridge, or 22ft. above summer level; still raining. 3 p.m., calm, raining; river about 28ft. above summer level, and still rising 2in. per hour.

Singleton.—Calm, dull; 184 points; river 13ft., rising slowly.

Camden.—Nepean in light flood; water still rising, train and vehicular traffic across Camden Bridge interrupted; 4in. rain fell last 24 hours, weather showery.

Penrith.—Nepean River risen 20ft. since rain commenced. Rained incessantly last night. River rising about 6in. per hour.

North Richmond.—Cloudy, like rain. Water 25ft. over bridge; rising slowly.

West Maitland.—Wind S., cloudy; 180 points. Twenty feet, and rising slowly at rate of 9in. per hour.

Goulburn.—River has risen 3 or 4 ft., and still rising; raining steadily.

Wingham.—River 9ft. above ordinary level, rising slowly; cloudy, like rain.

As will be seen mails have been stopped by the floods and railway communication interrupted by landslips. The public roads are almost everywhere impassable, and traffic suspended to the serious loss of many settlers. At St. Albans, on the M'Donald River, the residents are carrying their household effects to places of safety, the bridges owing to washaways have in places been rendered unsafe and heavy landslips have taken place. In the post and telegraph office at Moruya 3ft. of water exists, and a telegram from Liverpool says that in the Moorbank side of the river the people are getting in supplies of provisions, fearing they will be cut off from communication with the town, the river overflowing its banks. In last night's thunderstorm the water came so suddenly upon the men on horseback at Camden that animals and riders were swept away. The men were fortunately rescued, but lost their horses. Of the weather along the coast, the sea was going down early this morning. Gabo reported a rough sea yesterday at 3 p.m., but it had moderated later. The sea was still heavy to the south of Sydney generally and northwards also to a certain extent. The Government Astronomer's telegrams show it moderate at Port Stephens and at Newcastle. Vessels for Kiama could not approach owing to the bad weather there, and the "stand off" signals were flying at Wollongong. At Sydney Heads the weather was very dirty, and one or two outward-bound vessels have brought up pending a favourable change. The steamer Yarra, for Marseilles, brought up below Garden Island, but proceeded for Melbourne at midnight. An account of the trip of the steamer Reah elsewhere shows pretty clearly the severity of the weather along the northern coast. As will be seen the Reah was towing the steamer Ena to Richmond, and after very nearly foundering at sea the hawser parted during the night, and the Ena disappeared in the darkness.

SLIPS ON THE RAILWAY.

The down mail train to Mudgee, yesterday morning, was delayed at 138 miles 6 chains from Sydney, by a slip which would have to be cleared before the mail could proceed. It was not thought that it would be cleared last night. Inspector Payne wired that he hoped to have the line clear near Capertee, before where several heavy slips took place the week last, in time for the up train this morning if the rain would only hold off. The down train on the Illawarra line could only get as far as Clifton last night on account of a landslip near that station. The stationmaster there wired for a coach to take the mails and passengers to Wollongong.

Owing to the very heavy rainfall yesterday morning, some ballast on the down suburban line, near Rookwood, subsided, and all the traffic had to be run on the up line for a couple of hours. In that time everything had been put straight and the traffic was then continued as usual.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondents.)

BEGA, Tuesday.

The total rainfall up to the present is 9¾ inches. The water is rising over the flats rapidly. There are indications of more rain. A quantity of corn is submerged. There is no mail communication, the coach being unable to reach Tathra, owing to the water on Jellat flats.

BERRY, Tuesday.

Tremendous rain has fallen here, registering 6¾in. for the last 24 hours. The low lands are flooded. It is now clear, with every appearance of settled weather. No mails have arrived from Sydney to-day. A heavy landslip occurred on the Kangaroo Mountain-road.

BOMBALA, Tuesday.

About 1½in. of rain has fallen here the last two days, and it is still raining steadily. The mail coach could not leave this morning owing to the river at Cunninghame's Point, a mile from town, being too high to cross. A bridge is badly wanted there, the crossing being bad at all times. There is every prospect of abundant grass for winter feed.

BOURKE, Tuesday.

The following further rain reports are to hand up to 9 o'clock this morning:—Walgett, 70 points, river 41ft. 9in., rising; Mogil, river falling; Collarendabri, 30ft. 4in.; Mungindi, 18 points, 22ft. 3in., rising; Brewarrina, 31 points, 30ft., rising; Goodooga, 74 points, 11ft. 2in., falling; Tilpa, 33ft. 10in., rising; Enngonia, 50 points; Barringun, 15 points; Inverell, 79 points, summer level; Yetman, 163 points, two days, river 3ft., rising; Goodiwindi, 287 points, river rising very fast; Bourke, 115 points, river 35ft. 2in., rising.

A flood at least equal to that of 1879 is now inevitable. There seems a strong probability that the waters will reach as high as in the disastrous year of 1864. The local rain is seriously retarding the embankment operations, but it is hoped that the work will be completed before the river rises too high. About 200 are to be employed to-morrow.

BULLI, Tuesday.

Frequent heavy showers fell yesterday, and there was a copious downpour all night. Over 10in. have been registered since Saturday night. Fences have been washed away, but no serious damage is yet reported except to the railway line, where there are some fresh slips, principally between here and Clifton. The mail train due from Sydney at 6.30 this morning is blocked at North Clifton. A slip covered and shifted the rails on the Wollongong side. Two ballast trains have been employed night and day clearing the debris since previous heavy rains. There is a heavy, confused sea, together with blinding rain which prevents the colliers loading. Signs of clearing are now visible in the west.

Later.

The weather has been fine, cloudy, and sultry since this morning. It is still changeable, with lightning to the north. The mail train for Sydney, which should have left here at 9.20 this morning, was blocked here by a slip between South Clifton and Austinmer until after 3 p.m. The stationmaster meanwhile inspected the line and arranged to pilot the trains to the obstruction, where the passengers and mails by that and the morning train from Sydney were transferred over the collapsed cutting, and the contents of the Kiama milk train had to be carted across the slip. The evening mail train from Sydney only travelled to Clifton, and as a coach was unobtainable the passengers and mails remain there till the morning.

CAMDEN, Tuesday.

The weather is fine now. The water is a foot higher than the flood of last May, and rising. The residents are leaving the low lands for the higher ground.

The water continued to rise up to 3 p.m., and reached the flood height of 10 years ago. Shortly after 3 the water began slowly to subside. Several people had to remove from their residences. The crops on the low land are completely ruined. The local council's boat conveyed the mails and passengers across the river. The weather was fine all day up to 5 p.m., when a thunderstorm arose, and it is now raining again. Two of Mr. Dangar's men whilst saving stock were suddenly surrounded by water. One of the horsemen got swept into the water. The horse was drowned, but both men were rescued from their perilous position.

CLIFTON, Tuesday.

Heavy rain commenced to fall here early on Sunday morning, and continued without intermission until 9 o'clock this morning, when it all cleared off, and we have had fine weather since, but there is still more rain hanging about. The early milk train, which arrived here from Sydney at 6.30 a.m., was stopped at Clifton station for two hours, through the line being blocked with boulders and earthwork. Traffic is still suspended between here and Wollongong.

Mr. Dean, acting engineer-in-chief for New South Wales railways, came up this morning, but had to walk from Otford here, the special carriage which brought him from Sydney not arriving here till 3.40 p.m. There are a large number of men engaged in clearing the line between here and Bulli, under the superintendence of Mr. Shellshear, district engineer, who hopes to have the line open for traffic some time this evening.

COOTAMUNDRA, Tuesday.

Seventy-four points of rain fell yesterday and last night.

COONAMBLE, Tuesday.

After a week's dry weather, the first for some time, showery weather set in again on Sunday evening, and continued over Monday, heavy rain falling last night till 9. This morning 189 points were registered.

DUBBO, Tuesday.

The rain continued all night, recording 2¼in. It is still raining, with a north-west wind. The river is 12ft. above summer level and rising slightly.

EMMAVILLE, Tuesday.

Steady rain has fallen for the past 24 hours. The mail coach started for Deepwater, but had to return owing to the swollen state of Tent Hill Creek.

FORBES, Tuesday.

Up to the present 227 points of rain have fallen. The weather to-day is fine, but there are signs of a further downpour.

GILGANDRA, Tuesday.

Steady rain fell yesterday till midnight, and began again at daylight this morning, 183 points being registered since 9 a.m. yesterday. All the neighbouring stations report steady rain, which, coming on the top of the creeks not yet emptied after the late rains, will cause another serious rise. The Government boat, which was carried away from Mundooran, has passed here, and will probably reach Coonamble, where it should be stopped.

GOODOOGA, Tuesday.

Ninety-eight points of rain have fallen since Sunday. It is now clear. The river is still falling.

GRAFTON, Tuesday.

It rained heavily this morning. The weather is now clearing. The river is falling.

GUNDAGAI, Tuesday.

Steady rain fell here from early yesterday to 10 this morning, when the weather cleared up.

HARDEN, Tuesday.

It has rained continuously for the past 24 hours, 211 points having fallen. It is now fine, but there is every appearance of more rain.

HILLSTON, Tuesday.

Thirty points of rain last night. River still rising.

JUNEE, Tuesday.

One hundred and fifteen points of rain have fallen. It is now fine, but rain is threatening.

KATOOMBA, Tuesday.

During the twenty-four hours ending 9 o'clock this morning 4in. 28 points of rain fell. There were only slight showers to-day. The wind is coming from the north-west, giving every indication of fine weather. The recent heavy fall, 8½in. in forty-eight hours, though severe, has in no way affected the stability of the railway line. The embankment is comparatively dry, and is pronounced quite safe for traffic.

KEMPSEY, Tuesday.

It rained all yesterday.

KIAMA, Tuesday.

There was a slight fall of rain here on Sunday last, but on Sunday night, or early yesterday morning, heavy rain commenced, and all through the day it rained almost continuously, coming down at times in a great volume, causing higher floods in some localities than the rains of last month. At 7 o'clock last evening the Jamberoo main road at Terragong House, for the distance of 10 chains, was 2ft. under water. At 9 o'clock this morning the rain gauge record for the 24 hours was 482 points, making 19 inches 35 points during the present month. During the greater part of yesterday there was a strong wind from the south-east, which afterwards changed to south-west. There has been a very high sea along the coast, which to-day has prevented vessels approaching the port, but the waves are now subsiding. The block on the railway line, owing, it is understood, to landslips at Bulli and Otford, has prevented the running of trains to-day. The only mails that have reached Kiama from the north are those which came via Moss Vale.

LISMORE, Tuesday.

Heavy rain set in to-day. The river rose over the wharf during the day and is now 4ft. above the decking. Numerous landslips have occurred down this arm of the river, which with the fallen trees are likely to seriously interfere with navigation unless attended to.

LITHGOW, Tuesday.

The rain continued all throughout yesterday and last night, 235 points being registered. The weather has been unsettled all day but shows signs of clearing.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.

Continuous rain has fallen here for the last two days, and the river has broken over the banks on the Moorbank side; it is rising at the rate of 1ft. per hour. The distress caused by the want of a bridge is very great, as people are getting provisions in in anticipation of a large flood and cannot get horses or vehicles into town.

MILTON, Tuesday.

We have had three days' incessant rain, with a heavy gale from the south-east, which veered round to the north-east yesterday, with a high barometer. This morning the barometer began to fall, with indications of clearing. The mail coach returned this morning, Narrawillee Creek being in flood. The creeks and low-lying lands are flooded. The water is up to the decking of Woodstock bridge. The rainfall registered a total for the three days of 781 points, and since 9 this morning there has been nearly half an inch. It is now clearing. The steamer Kiama took shelter in Ulladulla last night. The roads to Shoalhaven are in a bad state, and no mails are expected.

MOLONG, Tuesday.

Steady rain has fallen continuously since early yesterday morning. 156 points have been registered up to 9 o'clock this morning. The roads are very heavy and very much cut up with the continuous traffic of teams. The Warne mail-driver reports that the Bell River Bridge, on the Boomey-road, is in a very dangerous state owing to washaways from floods. The weather has now every appearance of clearing.

MORUYA, Tuesday.

After some weeks of fine weather heavy rain set in on Sunday, and 8in. have fallen since; there is 4ft. of water on the flats, and the people are starting to shift on to high ground. The Southern mails are blocked through flooded creeks. There is 3ft. of water in the Post and Telegraph Office at Mogo, and the water is still rising. It is now raining heavily, and there is every appearance of it continuing.

MURWILLUMBAH, Tuesday.

Heavy showers fell on Saturday night. The weather was showery up to yesterday afternoon, when heavy rain set in, and continued ever since. It is now coming down in torrents. The river is rising slowly. Another flood is almost certain. The coach with the Sydney and Brisbane mails returned this morning, being unable to cross Dreggy Creek, four miles out. All business is at a standstill.

MUSWELLBROOK, Tuesday.

Rain has been falling at intervals since Saturday last, but the downpour has been very slight.

NEWCASTLE, Tuesday.

Rain again fell shortly before dusk. It is fine this evening.

NOWRA, Tuesday.

Showery weather from the south set in on Sunday night, 1in. and 3 points falling up to 9 yesterday morning. Extraordinary rain from the north-east set in at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, giving 5in. 28 points to 9 o'clock this morning. This is the heaviest fall in one night for 10 years here. The river is rising, but it is still much lower than during the late floods. The wind is now west, and weather clearing.

OBERON, Tuesday.

After a few fine days heavy rain began yesterday and has continued since.

PARKES, Tuesday.

One hundred and twenty-eight points of rain were registered this morning, making nearly 3½in. since Sunday.

PICTON, Tuesday.

It rained incessantly all yesterday and last night. It ceased at 9 this morning, but the weather is still doubtful. Five inches 22 points fell, being the greatest fall in one day for the last 10 years registered. The rivers in this district empty into the Hawkesbury. The wind has now shifted from south-east to west. The premises at the post-office are in a very bad and unhealthy state, the water in the underground rooms being many feet deep.

QUEANBEYAN, Tuesday.

Steady rain fell yesterday, registering 2¼in. The weather seems clearing now.

RICHMOND, Tuesday.

The weather now is fine, the river is falling, but the flood water is slowly rising.

RYLSTONE, Tuesday.

Another large slip has occurred at the Crown, near Capertee, while more appear imminent in the vicinity of Brogan's Creek. The mail train from Sydney has been detained, and the mails are not expected for some hours. There is a strong feeling of condemnation against the continuance of night trains under present circumstances. 101 points of rain have fallen since yesterday morning, and the weather is still unsettled.

SINGLETON, Tuesday.

The river rose 16ft. The Cockfighter is a banker. 184 points were registered here this morning.

ST. MARYS, Tuesday.

At Dunkeved, St. Marys, 467 points of rain have fallen since 9 a.m. on Monday. South Creek is very high.

Six hundred and thirty points of rain have fallen since Sunday. The weather is clearing, but the creeks are very high.

TEMORA, Tuesday.

One hundred and ninety-four points of rain fell here. The Barmedman coach is unable to cross the creek, 4in. having fallen there.

TUMUT, Tuesday.

A good soaking rain fell last night, 67 points being recorded. This morning it was fine again, but cloudy and unsettled.

WAGGA, Tuesday.

Up to this morning 90 points of rain had fallen. Fifty points fell at Lake Cudgellico. It is now fine. The river is falling.

WEST MAITLAND, Tuesday.

The weather was fine to-day. The sun shone out warmly, but there was an exceptionally heavy shower at 6 this evening, which, however, only lasted a short time. 310 points of rain have fallen since Sunday. The river is now up 23ft., and rising.

WELLINGTON, Tuesday.

There has been a heavy rain, registering 114 points. The Macquarie and Bell rivers are rising.

WILCANNIA, Tuesday.

Rains of a phenomenal character are reported from Surat, on the Balonne River, and Youlba and Miles on the tributaries of the Balonne. This water travels into the River Darling, via St. George, down the Culgoa. A big flood in the Darling may now be regarded as certain. Bourke will fare badly, but it will be quite impossible for Wilcannia to be flooded owing to the banks being very much higher on the town side of the river. The country on the other side will probably be inundated for miles. The following are the reports: Surat, 737 points, river highest yet known; Youlba, 715 points; Miles, over 8in. These rains extended over two days. St. George reports 144 points, Yetman 84, Inverell 79, Walgett 70, Mungindi 18, Goodooga 74, Brewarrina 31, Bourke 115.

WISEMAN'S FERRY, Tuesday.

The rain ceased early this morning, and the sun is gradually breaking through the clouds, with every appearance of a change for the better. The river is just about running across the point. Webb's Creek is flooded; and at St. Albans the M'Donald River is about 30ft. high and rising. It is feared the flood will reach a portion of the township; people consequently in the lower portion of it are shifting their belongings to higher ground. Traffic across the Hawkesbury stopped, as the punt had to be taken off the wire last night and secured.

WINDSOR, Tuesday.

The weather this morning has changed for the better, and it has remained fine nearly all day. The river rose rapidly last night, but slowly to-day, and has not yet attained the height of the last flood. This evening a rush of water came down, and the water is still advancing.

The body of Mr. Simpson, mail contractor, who was drowned at Riverstone yesterday afternoon, has not yet been recovered.

The want of a boat at Riverstone is very much felt, as very little water has to come down before some of the settlers are completely hemmed in. A boat had to be sent by Sergeant Fitzpatrick by rail this morning, in order that the body might be searched for.

The Chinese gardeners have again been cleared off their gardens, and it is improbable that they will again resume occupation.

WINGHAM, Tuesday.

Over 300 points of rain fell during the past 24 hours. The river is 6ft. over the wharf, and is now falling. The weather is fine.

WOLLONGONG, Tuesday.

It rained incessantly from Sunday up to this morning. The rainfall from 6 p.m. yesterday up to 10 to-day registered 6in. 62 points, and from 6 p.m. on Friday to date 10in. 47 points. The weather is now clear, but the roads are impassable and the traffic with Bulli is stopped. No coaches have run for the last two days. Trains due here at 6 a.m. and 11.30 had not arrived up to 4 p.m. All the flat lands near the town are covered with water, but no damage is reported. There is a heavy swell, and stand-off signals were hoisted all day.

YOUNG, Tuesday.

The weather is now clear. Up to this morning 201 points fell from the 24th.

STRIKE AT A NEWCASTLE COLLIERY.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

NEWCASTLE, Tuesday.

On Saturday the miners of the Wallarah Colliery, Catherine Hill Company, came out on strike, the 4 days' notice having expired. This colliery has only recently been opened, and until some weeks ago the men were working for day wages. After some trouble the manager, Mr. Thomas Parton, allowed them to go on the hewing rate, and then a dispute arose as to what that rate should be. The men some four months ago joined the Miners' Association, and were then bound by the rules to accept nothing less than 4s 2d per ton, the district price. The manager refuses to pay this, and says that the seam is much easier to hew than others in the Northern district, being 8ft. thick and having no bands or impurities. Further, the coal is very hard and makes little small, while its quality is said not to be equal to the mineral coal contained in either the Borehole or Greta seams. The manager offers 3s. per ton for round and small, and maintains that the coal should be worked for a price midway between the rates ruling in the Southern and Newcastle districts. It is probable, however, that a settlement will be arrived at within this week. Nine of the 50 miners employed were brought out by the company from England under a two years' agreement, by which it is said they bound themselves to work for any wage the manager might offer them; they, however, joined the union, and as they went out with the other hands it is probable that the company will institute proceedings against them.

THE GOVERNMENT STEAMER ENA ADRIFT.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

BARRANJOEY, Tuesday.

Captain Harding, of the Government steamer Reah, reports having left Newcastle on Friday afternoon for Richmond River with the Government steamer Ena in tow. She anchored at Port Stephens the same evening, and remained there till Sunday morning. She was off the Manning bar at 6 p.m., and in consequence of the pilot signals and a strong ebb fresh out, she went on for Port Macquarie and stood off the bar all night. On Monday morning the sea on the bar was very unsafe to make it with the Ena in tow, and she turned back, intending to make Port Stephens, but was unable to do so. It was blowing a gale, and the sea was heavy with blinding torrents of rain. The steamer stood slowly on, hoping to make Newcastle before daylight this morning. The ropes parted, and no more was seen of the Ena. After some vain search the Reah made for Broken Bay, anchoring at 1 p.m. Captain Harding states that the Reah was from Sunday night till this morning in great danger, the seas continually going right over her. She will proceed north at daylight to-morrow to make search for the Ena, and will then make Newcastle.

COUNTRY NEWS.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondents.)

COOTAMUNDRA, Tuesday.

Mr. John Barter, an old resident, died last evening from apoplexy.

KEMPSEY, Tuesday.

At a meeting of the Agricultural Society to-day it was decided to hold the Show on April 23, 24, and 25, owing to the further bad weather.

At a large public meeting last night it was resolved to requisition the Minister in favour of a bridge over the Macleay.

LITHGOW, Tuesday.

There is nothing fresh regarding the miners' dispute. The result of the proposed ballot is looked forward to with much interest.

MURWILLUMBAH, Tuesday.

The news that the Public Works Committee have recommended a railway from here to Lismore has given much satisfaction. The roads are impassable, and the rain prevents anything being done on them. Several commercial travellers remained here a week, and are likely to have to remain for some time.

Thos. Curran, of Newport, a selector on the Brunswick River, was found dead at his selection on Friday last. He appears to have been killed instantaneously by a limb of a tree falling and striking him. He was engaged in cutting scrub by himself.

MUSWELLBROOK, Tuesday.

A young man named Alfred Langmaid, whose father is a farmer at Goulburn River, was returning from the races held at Giant's Creek on Saturday last, when his horse collided against a tree and he was thrown to the ground. He never spoke, and died two hours afterwards. A magisterial inquiry was held yesterday in Muswellbrook by Mr. Fitzgerald, J.P., whose finding was accidental death.

NEWCASTLE, Tuesday.

At the police court to-day, before the police magistrate and Mr. J. Thorn, J.P., James Cousins, on remand, was charged with unlawfully assaulting Frances Elizabeth Hawkins, at Tighe's Hill, on or about the 18th day of November last, she being then under the age of 14 years. Sub-inspector Lynch prosecuted, and Mr. J. A. Gorrick appeared for the accused. After hearing the evidence of the prosecutrix, the accused, who is a miner by profession, was committed for trial at the next Circuit Court to be held at Maitland. Bail was allowed.

TEMORA, Tuesday.

People here are agitating for a local land office. A monster meeting will be called for this week.

WEST MAITLAND, Tuesday.

The assault case, which commenced at the police court yesterday, occupied the attention of the police magistrate the whole of to-day, when it was further adjourned till Thursday. The whole of the accused were liberated on bail.

YOUNG, Tuesday.

Up to date 13,644 bales of wool have been despatched from Young station this season. Small lots are held to arrive. During the present season 39,405 bags of wheat have been consigned from Young station.

THE HASTINGS AND MANNING ELECTION.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

PORT MACQUARIE, Tuesday.

Last night, notwithstanding the inclement weather, about 200 people assembled to hear Messrs. Vivian and Dibbs speak. Mr. Vivian accused the Dibbs Administration of landing the country in debt, and of incompetency generally. He strongly urged the electors to return him for Mr. Roberts' seat, and by so doing they would declare for freetrade and freedom. Mr. Dibbs followed. He proved by Mr. M'Millan's words that in place of a deficit the country had valuable assets in the unsold land. He strongly eulogised the financial statement of the Treasurer for its honesty, when he brought forward his last Budget. The platform of the protectionists was taxing foreign articles which the colony could produce, thereby encouraging native industries and keeping the market for our own people. Mr. Dibbs was loudly cheered.

Mr. M'Kinnon, protectionist, speaks here to-night.

TAREE, Tuesday.

Mr. Dibbs arrived at Port Macquarie on Sunday, and is now making his way to the Manning, speaking en route in favour of protection at various centres. Mr. Copeland is to arrive at Taree by steamer to-morrow, where he will join Mr. Dibbs, who will address the electors at Taree on Monday night, and afterwards at the other centres. For the freetrade cause Mr. Haynes, M.L.A., is expected at Krambach to-morrow evening, and will speak there and in other portions of the district. Mr. B. R. Wise is expected to visit next week, to speak on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday on the Manning, but it is considered by many that his visit will be too short, and rather late. It would be better if he could see his way clear to come two or three days earlier, as the contest is very keen. Mr. Sampson, a freetrade farmer, is in the district, advocating free trade. The Hon. Bruce Smith is expected at Port Macquarie in a few days.

ACTION FOR SLANDER AT ALBURY.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

ALBURY, Tuesday.

A slander action, Percy Smith v. George Stanley, was tried to-day in the local Court. The plaintiff is a telegraph operator, and the defendant a tobacconist. Defendant stuck up in his window a highly-exaggerated account of the late railway accident on the Zigzag, adding at the foot a note to the effect that the details had been obtained from a railway official. When questioned as to his authority he mentioned the plaintiff, who, it appears, had not spoken to him directly, but had been conversing with another person in a cab, in which defendant was also riding, about some wild rumours brought up by train passengers concerning the accident. No official report of the affair had been received at the station, so plaintiff could not have divulged any departmental information. It was contended, however, that defendant's statement, subsequently repeated in a letter to a newspaper, contained an innuendo that plaintiff had acted improperly, and so was calculated to injure him. The Bench held that plaintiff had sustained no damage, and found for defendant, but refused to allow costs.

THE NORTH SHORE RAILWAY.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

NEWCASTLE, Tuesday.

At the Newcastle Borough Council meeting last night the following resolution was, after discussion, carried unanimously:—"That, in the opinion of this council, it is desirable that the extension of the North Shore railway to Milson's Point should be carried out without delay, and that the Government should ask the House immediately upon its reassembling to pass a resolution affirming the desirableness of sanctioning its construction."

OVERLAND PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

[By Telegraph.]

ALBURY, Tuesday.

For Melbourne (by express, to-day): Miss Moore, Thomas Dudley Elwell, C. W. Little, J. Reid, H. C. Hoyle, S. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Crow, Miss Levi, Rev. J. Levi, A. Harrison Callings, E. Baker Walker, A. Watts, J. E. Robinson, W. Fleming (Sydney), A. Lyell, W. L. Roper, W. A. Stewart, M. C. Thompson, A. T. Brown, Miss Temple, Miss Butler, Miss Dawson, J. Lake, J. Whysall, R. Highett, Miss Wright, T. Hanna, W. Nelson, J. Cronin, W. J. Lee (Melbourne), Mr. and Mrs. Henry George, W. E. Johnson, Miss Winckworth, Miss M. A. Winckworth, Florence O'Driscoll (travelling), the Bishop of Adelaide, the Bishop of Ballarat, A. J. Simmons (Muttaburra), J. B. Donkin (Forbes), Thomas Lorimer (Toorak), C. Taylor (Parramatta), C. J. Griffith (Sandhurst), Mrs. Walter Chisholm (Goulburn), Edward Carr (St. Kilda), Miss Watt (Parramatta), John Morck (W.A.), Mr. and Mrs. Gipps and family (4) (Ashfield), W. M. Younger (Hamilton), J. A. Darby (Albury), J. Fletcher (Brisbane), S. Lewis (Adelaide), A. Hammond, Miss S. J. Taylor (Goulburn), Mr. and Mrs. Reed (Newcastle), W. James (sea), E. B. Barnes (Gympie), T. H. Mitchell (Balmain).

For Melbourne (by ordinary on Tuesday): Thos. Gilroy (Richmond), R. W. Fozzard (Brunswick), Mr. and Mrs. F. Debenre (Beaufort), Mr. and Mrs. Broadbent and child, W. C. Badger (Melbourne), Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Blake and family (Sydney), Chas. Wallace (for England).

For Sydney (by ordinary on Tuesday): J. M. Chanter, M.L.A. (Moama), Mr. and Miss Kellett (Goulburn), F. Halbis (Hay), W. J. B. Jackson, M. E. (Leichhardt), Mr. and Mrs. Macphee 2 black boys and albino, C. J. Perry, A. Lungan (Sydney), G. Cornelius, Mrs. Murray (Melbourne), Thos. Walsh (Albury).

For Sydney (by express on Tuesday): Miss May Cameron, Miss Elsie Prescott, Miss Atkinson, Mrs. Chapman, child, Charles Holloway, James M'Culloch, P. M'Mahon, Mr. and Mrs. Cook, J. Shannon, H. H. Perry, J. Atchison, J. Yuill, J. Hatton, T. H. Smith, S. T. Jacobs, Albert Samuels (Melbourne), Lady Allen, S. Stead, W. Burrell, J. Short, W. Cunningham, W. Curnow, E. Sampson (Sydney), Mrs. A. Easton (Camperdown), Miss E. Carsons (Adelaide), Mrs. J. N. Niall, Mrs. J. Hixson (Queensland), W. Curran (Albury), L. Myers (South Yarra), L. Levein (Carlton), P. T. Cummings (Brisbane), L. Oakley (Calcutta), J. F. Cudmore (Adelaide), Mr. and Mrs. Ainslie and child, Miss Mills (Merri Merrigal), Mr. and Mrs. M. O'Brien (Malvern), H. Walsh (Port Melbourne), W. J. Nesbitt, C. H. Hare (London), Miss Green (Albury), Mrs. Morris (Parramatta), Mrs. Hobbs, Miss O'Reilly (Brisbane), J. Hayes, M.L.A. (Albury), J. Copeland, M.L.A. (Wagga).

TENTERFIELD, Tuesday.

For Sydney: G. C. Knapp, R. G. Knapp, R. O. Edgell, H. Blaxer (Sydney), R. T. Kaye (Muswellbrook).

For Brisbane: A. R. Brown, John Smith (Brisbane), Mrs. Budden, Miss Budden (Roma), Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Metcalfe and maid (Toowoomba), Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Petter (Gympie), Geo. Simmers (Windsor), Hon. G. Thorne (Ipswich), A. O. Whipple (Melbourne), Hector M'Lean (Inverell).

There were no passengers or mails from Brisbane to-day.

SHIPPING REPORTS, &c.

Custom House.—Entered Outwards: March 25, Greyhound (s.), 59 tons, Captain J. Simmons, for the Gippsland Lakes, via Wollongong; Marshall S., schooner, 179 tons, Captain Robert Cable, for the Solomon Islands; Sharpshooter, barque, 490 tons, Captain G. Davis, for Sourabaya; Oonah (s.), 887 tons, Captain W. J. Featherstone, for Hobart; R.M.S. Arcadia, 3173 tons, Captain W. B. Andrews, for London, via ports; Culgoa (s.), 2135 tons, Captain Ilbery, for London, via ports; Tenterden (s.), 807 tons, Captain Saunders, for the New Hebrides, Fiji, and Noumea; Eurimbla (s.), 598 tons, Captain Seimes, for Rockhampton, via ports; Yarra (s.), 2196 tons, Captain Boulard, for Marseilles, via ports; Cintra (s.), 1175 tons, Captain T. A. Lake, for Melbourne; Arawatta (s.), 1192 tons, Captain W. W. Hampton, for Cooktown, via ports; Tekapo (s.), 1344 tons, Captain G. Allman, for Auckland and New Zealand ports.

The ship Queen Elizabeth was towed to a discharging berth at Smith's Wharf yesterday.

The Earl of Zetland was berthed at the Adelaide Wharf yesterday. The discharge of her inward freight will be commenced immediately.

Captain L. Tulloch reports the steamer Tweed crossed out on the 23rd instant at 10 a.m., experiencing light S.E. winds to Smoky Cape, which was passed at 6.30 a.m. on the 24th, and from moderate to strong S.S.E. to east winds to port, arriving at 4 a.m. on the 25th making the passage in 42 hours. Cargo: 38 cedar logs, 27 cases, 6 pigs, 12 casks, and a quantity of sundries.

When the steamship Ringarooma was about 200 miles distant from Hobart, on her last trip to the Bluff, an unusual incident occurred. As the vessel was speeding along one of her yards struck a large albatross which was circling round the ship, and caused it to fall half-stunned to the deck. It was secured, and a lady passenger placed a woollen cuff around its neck, and it was then set free, and was soon out of sight. The bird measured nine feet from across the wings.

When the Union Steamship Company's Rotomahana left Dunedin on her last trip to Melbourne, Captain Stott went in command of her. Captain M. Carey, her former master, was a passenger, and will await in Melbourne the arrival of the new steamer Monowai, due there shortly, and he will assume command of her to New Zealand.

Captain Geo. Allman reports the Tekapo left Auckland at 5 p.m. on the 19th instant, arriving at Russell at 6 a.m. on the 20th, leaving at 4 p.m. of same day, arriving at Sydney at 9 a.m. on the 25th. Experienced variable winds to making the coast, and was detained off the Heads for four hours by thick weather with heavy sea and rain.

Captain Featherstone reports the Oonah left Hobart at 7.15 p.m. on the 22nd, and arrived at Eden at 5 a.m. on the 23rd; left again at 8.45, and entered Sydney Heads at 3.45 on the 25th, arriving at wharf at 5 o'clock. Experienced fresh E. and E.N.E. winds and dirty weather to Eden; the wind then veered into a N.E. gale, with heavy sea and thick, dirty weather.

The J. G. Koadio is on a slip at the Nambucca.

THE MAIL STEAMERS.

The R.M.S. Oroya (O.S.N. line) arrived at Plymouth March 24.

H.M.S. PENGUIN.

H.M.S. Penguin, from England, takes the Rambler's place on surveying duty on the north-west coast of Australia.

THE MOUNT CARMEL.

The ship Mount Carmel, from New York to Sydney, and consigned to Messrs. Arnold, Cheney, and Co., was spoken on the 16th instant, in lon. 153° E., by the Salsette, now at Melbourne.

POSITION OF THE QUETTA ROCK.

The following notice is for mariners:—Torres Straits The position of the Quetta rock. Notice is hereby given that the Quetta rock has been ascertained to lie S. by W. ¾ W., southerly, ·9 of a mile from Cambridge Point, Mount Adolphus Island. The depth of water upon the rock does not exceed 16ft. at low water.

THE LIGHT ON MAATSUYKER ISLAND.

By the s.s. Kaikoura have arrived at Hobart the lantern and appurtenances for the Maatsuyker Island lighthouse from Messrs. Chance Bros., Birmingham. The material, which was removed from the lighter to the Marine Board stores, was packed in 90 large cases and four casks, in addition to which there were 15 castings and one bundle of loose iron, the whole weighing a little over 27 tons. There is everything required from the top of the stonework upward. The cost was £3677, in addition to which there will be about £113 for freight, insurance, &c. The lantern gives a double-flashing light, and is similar to that at Eddystone Point. Good progress is now being made with the building of the lighthouse tower at Maatsuyker Island.

LOSS OF A NEW STEEL SHIP.—FORTY OUT OF FORTY-SIX LIVES SAVED.

In the wreck of the fine ship Irex off the Isle of Wight is another instance of a brand new ship meeting her fate at the outset of her maiden voyage. There are incidents in connection with the rescue of the crew of a welcome character. The Irex was a full-rigged steel ship of 2248 tons register, and was lost off the Needles Battery, on the Isle of Wight. The vessel ran ashore under stress of weather in Scratchell's Bay. She was on her first voyage, with a cargo of 3500 tons of iron sewerage pipes for Rio Janeiro. When the alarm was given coastguardsmen, soldiers, and civilians hurried down to render assistance. The rocket apparatus was soon brought into use, the members of the brigade being assisted by artillerymen and their officers under the direction of Colonel J. F. Owen, R.A. Of those on board the Irex 40 were rescued, six lives being lost. The artillerymen are said to have worked grandly. Those rescued were comfortably housed and assiduously attended to in the large room at the Needles Battery Fort. Her Majesty the Queen inquired by telegraph from Osborne for particulars, and this kindly act of sympathy was highly grateful to the shipwrecked men. A week after the wreck those who rendered conspicuous rescue service were commanded to attend at Osborne, where they were seen by her Majesty. Colonel Owen, commanding the Royal Artillery in the Western Forts of the Isle of Wight, presented Majors Playfair and Walford, who worked with their men on the occasion of the wreck, and named several of his men to the Queen. Captain Brooke, C.B., of H.M.S. Invincible, did similar service for the boatmen who had distinguished themselves. Her Majesty in "warm terms commended the rescuers for their splendid achievement." This recognition of the conspicuous assistance rendered by Colonel Owen and his men will be read with interest by that gallant officer's many friends in these colonies, particularly South Australia.

THE ACCIDENT TO THE BARQUE LONDON.

The accident to the barque London at Newcastle, reported in the *Herald* telegrams yesterday, is thus referred to in an account now to hand:—"She was, in the first instance, made fast to the buoy with one of the ship's hawsers, and while the crew were unshackling the chain from the anchor to make fast to the buoy a terrific squall blew the vessel from her moorings, parting the hawser as if it was a piece of thread. One anchor was let go, but the force of the squall prevented it from holding the vessel. In her course towards the Stockton beach she ultimately grounded on the stones near Callan's ship yard. She collided with the ship Stirlingshire, lying at the buoy in mid stream, ready for sea, and carried away a portion of her poop rail, and wrecked the crossjack yard and spanker-boom. Still drifting, the London went stern on to the Stockton Wharf, striking heavily, just astern of the steamship Nemesis. The anchor by this time checked her a little, preventing her head from swinging towards the wharf, so she drifted up the stream broadside on, scraping her stern along the wharf. After clearing the Stockton Wharf she got foul of a mooring dolphin, and tore away some of the planking. She next gave the old s.s. Cobra a rub, and finally grounded on the shores near Callan's shipyard. The rudder was strained after the London struck the stones, but the actual damage cannot be ascertained until the rudder is un-shipped, and a diver employed to examine her bottom. She was successfully towed off to a safe anchorage in the harbour, close to No. 5 buoy, about 6.30, by the steamtugs Emu and Enterprise. Lloyd's surveyor at this port made a survey of the damage sustained by the Stirlingshire, and estimates that the sum of £100 will cover everything."

THE THEOPHANE.

Yesterday the clipper ship Theophane arrived in Sydney from London. She is one of the Australasian Shipping Company's line of vessels, and on this occasion she has kept up her reputation as a hooker. Her voyage from London just exceeds 90 days, which, considering the variable weather and winds she has met with, is not by any means a bad performance. Captain Nelson reports very little. The passage has been a most uneventful one. The winds from the Channel to Port Jackson Heads have proved to be light, with an occasional breeze which would freshen into a gale, when the Theophane would wash her decks and ship a sea which would take everything overboard that might not have been securely lashed. Generally speaking the voyage has been a most pleasant one, and in fact there is very little to relate. Captain Nelson says the Theophane left London on December 20, but a westerly gale compelled him to bring his vessel up at the Downs, and it was not until the 22nd of December that the ship got a slant to get away. However, when being towed down Channel the winds were persistently adverse from the westward, which interfered in no small degree with tug capabilities. The pilot was discharged off Portland on the 26th December. The Theophane was fortunate enough to get a fair breeze through the Bay of Biscay, and to run into the N.E. trades in 27° north. When in 24° west the winds proved well from the east, and very brisk at times; they gave out eventually in .0° N. Light winds followed, and when the ship's position was recorded as 2° south the S.E. trades came away. At this time the Theophane was in 29° west. The S.E. trades did not prove to be so kind as might have been expected, but they did not entirely desert the ship until they had carried her to about the latitude of the island of Trinidad, passed on January 28. Variable winds followed; the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope was crossed on February 18. For 12 days strong easterly winds were encountered, with a terrific high sea. Light westerlies followed, with occasional heavy blows to Cape Otway. The Theophane had then to contend against head and adverse winds for two days, and afterwards met with thick and muggy weather when negotiating Bass's Straits. The Theophane sailed into port herself, and anchored off Dobroyd early yesterday morning. The Theophane ran her easting down between the parallels of 40 and 41, and met with what may be termed fair average winds, no ice was seen; and the voyage has proved a most uneventful one. The Theophane has arrived in splendid order, a credit to her commander and his officers.

CAPTAIN WILLIAM HOWARD SMITH.

Our Melbourne telegrams have announced the death of Captain William Howard Smith, whose name is one of the best known in Australia in connection with the intercolonial steam trade. When Captain Howard Smith was only 10 years of age he adopted the profession of his family, and sailed on his maiden voyage in one of his father's ships. He subsequently went through a course of navigation, and as soon as he had qualified himself to act as master he was given the command of the steamer Adonis, in the year 1834. He was in the employ of Messrs. Malcomson Brothers, a well-known firm of English shipowners, for several years, and made many voyages in their ships to Dutch, Spanish, and South American ports. In 1854 he formed the design of coming out to Australia, and, in partnership with Mr. F. Skinner, he purchased the steamer Express with that object in view. Captain Howard Smith took command of the vessel, and, with Mr. Skinner as his chief engineer, brought her safely out to Melbourne, bringing with him his wife and five children. He at once went into the Geelong trade, which at that time afforded great scope for enterprise and after devoting himself to it with great success for eight years he turned his attention to the Melbourne trade with Queensland and New South Wales. In 1864 he re-visited Europe and purchased the first vessel for the new line, in France. She had been running to the Black Sea, and he rechristened her the You Yangs, and having brought her out and made the necessary alterations in her arrangements he placed her in the Melbourne, Sydney, and Newcastle trade, and took command of her himself. The A. S. N. Company was at that time firmly established in the trade, and Captain Howard Smith was told that he would not be able to last long in the competition, and that the powerful rival company would speedily run him off the line. However, he continued his voyages with such success that in two years after making a beginning he found it necessary to go back to Europe and purchase a second steamer, the Dandenong, for the same trade. The Dandenong was subsequently lost with almost all hands between Melbourne and Sydney, but the You Yangs is still running to the northern ports. Other vessels were afterwards added, and the extensive fleet of coasting steamers was gradually built up which is now running for the firm between Adelaide, Melbourne, Sydney, Brisbane, and the northern ports of Queensland. The business was formed into a limited company a few years ago, the whole of the shares being taken up by the members of the family of the original proprietor. Captain Howard Smith himself retired about two years ago from the active management of the business, which owed its great success to his enterprise, tact, and shrewd business qualities, but continued to give advice as to the management, and to attend the board meetings.

THE YARRA.

The Messageries Maritimes steamer Yarra cleared the Heads at 1.45 a.m. to-day for Marseilles, having been delayed by thick weather.

SHIP OFF BONDI.

At 2 a.m. to-day a ship in tow making the port was reported off Bondi Point.

THE RICHARD III.

The barque Richard III., from Puget Sound, arrived at 1 a.m. to-day.

THE EXPLOSION ON BOARD H.M.S. BARRACOUTA, ONE OF THE AUSTRALIAN AUXILIARY SQUADRON.

In our cable news last month was published a short message to the effect that the third trial trip of the Barracouta, one of the ships intended for the Australian squadron, had proved a failure, and a serious explosion had taken place on board. An account to hand more fully reports the matter. This statement is as follows:—"Not since the explosion on Her Majesty's ship Thistle on the Maplin Sands, some 20 years ago, has such a serious accident occurred in the Nore district at a steam trial of a new vessel as that which took place on board the Barracouta on February 7. This vessel is one of four new cruisers designed for the Government by Mr. W. H. White, Director of Naval Construction, and was launched at Sheerness Dockyard in April last. She has been supplied and fitted with triple-expansion engines by the Palmer Shipbuilding Company, of Jarrow-on-Tyne, which are estimated to develop 3000-horse power, with a speed of 16¼ knots per hour, under forced draught; and 1900-horse power, with a speed of 15 knots per hour, under natural draught. The Barracouta left Sheerness Harbour at 7 o'clock on the morning of February 7 to resume her trial, which was to be of eight hours' duration, under natural draught. The engines were, as usual on such occasions, in charge of representatives of the contractors, and a number of dockyard and naval officials were present to watch the trials. Commander J. W. Osborne, of the Medway Steam Reserve, was in charge of the ship, which was manned by a temporary crew from the Royal Naval Barracks. The ship was put upon her trial about half-past 7, and all went well until she was off Margate, when a shocking accident occurred in the port stokehole. Flames issued in mighty volume from the furnaces, causing the men to beat a hasty retreat into the engine-rooms. The boilers at the time were working at a pressure of 150lb., and a half-inch of air pressure was used with the fan engines. Until a searching examination is made of the port boiler it is impossible to state what was the real cause of the catastrophe, but it is supposed that it was due to the sudden expansion and contraction of the tube plates, which thus caused an escape of water and steam into the fire-box, forcing the flames out of the furnaces into the stokehole. As soon as the flames and smoke had subsided it was found that 10 men were injured, three of them being in the employ of the contractors, three dockyard men, and four sailors belonging to the Royal Navy. Dr. Mansfield, surgeon on board the Wildfire, was on board the Barracouta at the time, and immediately devoted his attention to the injured men, who were removed to the captain's cabin without delay. The pressure of steam was immediately reduced in the boilers, and the Barracouta was headed back for Sheerness, signals being made as soon as practicable to the Garrison Point Fort for cots and further medical assistance. The injured men suffered dreadful agonies from their burns, but Dr. Mansfield was unremitting in the use of the means at his disposal to alleviate their sufferings. On the arrival of the vessel in harbour, Fleet Surgeon Keil and Surgeons Miller and Bearblock went off to her, and about half an hour later all the injured men—excepting a stoker, Henry Ovenden—were removed in the steamtug Locust to Melville Hospital, Chatham. Ovenden was brought ashore to the sick-bay at the Royal Naval Barracks, where he died during the afternoon. All the officials escaped without injury. Most of the men are burned about the face and head."

THE MUDGEE-GULGONG RAILWAY.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

GULGONG, Tuesday.

The Public Works Sectional Committee resumed the examination of witnesses on the Mudgee-Gulgong railway extension at 7.30 last night. Messrs. C. Young, storekeeper; Richard Steer, storekeeper; F. Russell, storekeeper; William Fletcher, miner; Harold D. Voss, bank manager; and Robert Heard, Mayor, were examined. The chairman stated he would hear evidence at 11.30 this morning. The following were examined:—Richard Rouse, of Guntawang; J. Bayliss, station manager; Edward Taylor, teamster; William Bentzen, bank manager; Alfred Cross, ranger; Jas. Curran, farmer; Frank Fletcher, mine manager. The evidence was finished at 1 p.m., and the committee left for Mudgee in the afternoon.

THE MEAT-CHILLING INDUSTRY.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

NARRABRI, Tuesday.

A well-attended meeting was held in the Council-chambers this afternoon (the Mayor presiding) in connection with establishing a depot for meat-chilling. Mr. Hudson read a *pro forma* prospectus, detailing the cost of the work of treating 22,000 sheep, or an equivalent in large stock, at Narrabri, giving full details of the proposed outlay. The plant, buildings, land, and machinery were estimated to cost £9000, and the working expenses would be £2000 more. The receipts were estimated at £17,000. Mr. Hudson estimated the cost of freezing for export at ½d per lb., the cost of transit to London 1½d to 1¾d, guaranteeing a return of 1½d per lb. after all charges had been deducted. Many questions were asked Mr. Hudson, who explained, suggesting that Narrabri should form a depot in connection with Sydney, and supplying the adjacent depots with ice, &c. A motion was unanimously carried that a company be formed. About 30 of those present promised to take shares. Altogether about £3000 was promised. A provisional committee was appointed to draw up a prospectus. The Mayor heartily thanked Mr. Hudson for his enterprise in endeavouring to establish the industry. Mr. Hudson replied, and said he fully intended, while he had life and had a penny to spend, to see the thing through. A vote of thanks was passed to the chairman.

LATE MINING.

[By Telegraph.]
(From our Correspondent.)

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

Share Report.—Sales: Baker's Creek, 43s 9d; Golden Gate, 3s; Peel's Block 10, £12 3s 6d, £1 6s; Broken, C.R., £11 14s, £11 9s 6d; Central, paid, £11 6s 6d, £10 16s; Broken, C.R., £10 10s, £10 7s 6d; Round, £7 4s, £7 8s; South, paid, £6 8s, £6 3s 6d; Block 14, £5 17s, £5 15s; South, N. I., £5 13s, £5 11s 6d; Junction, £5 7s, £5 5s; British, 92s; City of Broken Hill, 60s; North, 28s 6d; South Extended, 5s; Commodore Vanderbilt, 3s 10d; Broken Hill Underlay, 3s 6d; Pioneer, 2s 6d; Day Dream, 1s 10½d.

Late Sales: Central, paid, £10 15s, £11; South, paid, £6 3s, £6 5s; Block 14, £5 15s; British, 92s 6d; North, 29s 3d; Peel's, 2s 3d.

MILITARY.

N. A. V. RIFLE CLUB.

The third shooting for the first quarter took place on Saturday last with the following results. Conditions, seven shots at 500 and 600 yards. Handicap limits, 60 points:—

	500 yards.	600 yards.	Handicap.	Total.
A.B. Richardson	32	32	7	64
L.S. Greenland	29	26	6	60
A.B. Cane	27	25	8	60
P.O. Dunn	29	21	12	60
A.B. Suttor	30	26	15	60
A.B. Collins	22	24	20	60
A.B. Clift	25	19	20	60
Sub-lieut. Woolcott Waley	25	12	23	60
A.B. Stanhope	32	27	—	59
A.B. Lester	27	28	4	59
Lieut. Keating	31	27	—	58
A.B. Crisford	22	15	20	57
C.P.O. Maxwell	31	21	4	56
Inst. Rolfe	23	18	15	56
P.O.W. Warren	26	29	—	55

A match took place on the rifle range, Paddington, between the Engineers and Volunteer Artillery on Saturday, resulting in a win for the Engineers by 19 points. The scores were as follows:—Engineers, 496 points; Volunteer Artillery, 477 points.

WICKLIFF.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In Cardinal Moran's letter, which appeared in your issue of the 24th instant, there is the following statement:—"It is a fact not generally known that Wickliff repented of his errors, and died in communion with the Holy See." Now, Mr. Editor, the Synod of Constance, A.D. 1415, states the exact contrary. In its decree for taking up the body and bones of John Wickliff to be burned, there are the following sentences:—"Witnesses having been examined by commissioners appointed by John the present Pope and this council upon the final impenetency and obstinacy of the said John Wickliff, and the rules having been observed which ought to be observed as in such business the order of the law requireth, and his impenitency and final obstinacy having been lawfully proved by evident signs and tokens made good by lawful witnesses. Therefore . . . . this Holy Synod declareth, determineth, and giveth sentence, that the same John Wickliff was a notorious heretic, and that he died obstinate in his heresy. . . . . This Synod also decreeth," &c.

The Cardinal will surely not deny the authority of the Council of Constance? I am, &c.,

J. D. LANGLEY.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

TUESDAY EVENING.

In the Stock and Share market to-day, business was quiet, and quotations were unaltered. On the Sydney Stock Exchange the following sales were reported at 1 o'clock:—Joint Stock Bank, 23½; North Shore Gaslight, 24s. Closing quotations were:—

BANKS.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Australian J.S.	23	23½	Mercantile	—	60/
North Q'land, 70/ paid	—	70/	Ditto, new	—	30/6
City	17	17¼	New Zealand	—	5¼
New Issue	—	86/	Ditto, new	—	5
Commercial	117½	—	N. Z., N.Z. reg.	—	95/
Federal	60	62/6	New	—	60
N. S. Wales	64½	—	Q. National	8	8¼
Union	61½	—	Bl. Bnk. Q'land	5	5¼

STEAM.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Balmain Ferry	17/	17/3	Newcastle	—	5/
C. R. and M. R.	17 3	—	Do., Preferent'l	—	10/
Hunter River	—	—	N. S. Ferry	35/	37/
Illawarra	—	6	Port Jackson	31/	—

INSURANCE.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
General	—	6¼	New Zealand	60/	—
Austr. Mutual	—	14/	Pacific	—	13/
Merc. Mutual	5/6	6/	Sydney Mutual	—	—
New S. Wales	—	2d	United	72/	—

GAS.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Aust. Gaslight	13½	14	North Shore	23/6	24/
New issue	7	—	Manly	—	24/
Goulburn	—	36/			

BREWERIES.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
C'maine and Wood Bros.	22/6	23/	Marshall's	—	6/3
Castlemaine	—	20/	Tooth's	—	21/6

MISCELLANEOUS.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Aarons' Exch.	7/6	—	Sydney T. & O.	—	29/6
Colonial Sugar	10½	—	Sydney Exch.	16¼	—
Hudson Bros.	—	5/3	Hydraulic Power, 10s pd	—	—
Saywell's Tobacco	—	6	Vol. L. Orders	—	200
Shale and Oil	—	4/	Mel. T. & O. Co.	—	7

INVESTMENT AND FINANCE, &c.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Assets Realization, ex new	2/10	3/9	Perm. Trustee	2/9	3/
Col. Finance	4	5/	Perp. Trustee	9/6	—
Mont de Piété	23/	24/	Real Estate	—	—
Mort. Guarns. and M. Fin.	6/	7/	Sydney Agcn. and Finance	—	1/

LAND AND BUILDING COMPANIES, &c.

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
Anglo-Austral Investment	—	19/	Industrial Provident	—	22
Ditto, £5 paid	—	—	Metropolitan	—	90/
Commercial Building	4	5	National	—	5¼
Excelsior	—	45/	Syd. and Sub.	6	6¼

The Stock Exchange of New South Wales reports the following sales:—Hudson Bros., 4s 10d 4s 11d. Quotations were:—Queensland National Bank, seller 8½; Balmain Ferry, seller 17s 3d; Newcastle Preferential Shares, seller 9s 6d; North Shore Ferry, buyer 34s 6d, seller 36s; Australian General Assurance, seller 6½d; Australian Mutual Fire, buyer 12s; City Mutual, seller 2s 2d; Mercantile Mutual Insurance, buyer 5s 3d, seller 6s 6d; United, buyer 72s, seller 75s; Australian Gaslight, seller 14s; Australian Gaslight, new issue, buyer 7½d; North Shore Gaslight, buyer 22s 6d, seller 23s 6d; Castlemaine and Wood Bros.' Brewery, seller 23s; Tooth's Brewery, buyer 18s; City Carrying, seller 4s; Hudson Bros., seller 5s 3d; Saywell's Tobacco, seller 9s 6d; Shale and Oil, buyer 3s 6d, seller 4s; Sydney Hydraulic Power, 6s paid, seller 9s 3d; Assets Realization, new issue, seller 2s 6d; Mortgage Guarantee, buyer 6s, seller 7s; Permanent Trustee, buyer 2s 9d; Perpetual Trustee, seller 10s 3d; Haymarket Building, buyer 20s, seller 21s; Australian Mutual Building, buyer 50s, seller 53s 6d; City and County Investment, seller 9s 3d; Industrial Provident, buyer 20, seller 32s; Mercantile Building, seller 8s 6d; Mercantile Building, contributing, seller 3s; Metropolitan Investment, buyer 80s, seller 92s 6d; National Land, seller 5¼; Sydney Freehold Building, seller 17s 6d; Sydney Permanent, buyer 29½, seller 32; Sydney and Suburban, seller £6 3s 3d; Land Company of Australasia, seller 42s 6d; Intercolonial Land, seller 5s; Town and Country, contributing, seller 30s.

A case of considerable interest to consignees or agents was decided in the Supreme Court a day or two back. Mr. Crawford, fish merchant, of Glasgow, sued to recover compensation to the amount of £1000 for alleged neglect by Mr. Robert Miller in the sale of certain ling fish consigned for that purpose. The plaintiff sued on the ground that the defendant had sold below 5d per lb., the minimum price he was instructed to accept. But the jury took the very sensible view that the fish having gone off in quality, and being a perishable article, the defendant had in the interests of plaintiff accepted a lower price, and accordingly gave him a verdict.

The gold yield of the world in 1889 was somewhat in excess of the total for the preceding year. According to Messrs. Wells, Fargo, and Co. the American yield was £6,594,925. The *New York Financial and Commercial Chronicle*, from official authorities, save the total production of gold in the Australasian colonies in 1888 amounted to £5,709,055 sterling, and in Russia to £4,435,902 sterling, and estimates the production in all other countries at 3½ millions sterling. The gold production of the world is at the present time a little over 21 millions sterling. There was generally an increase in the gold yield in the latest published figures. In the case of the United States alone the increase in 1889 over 1888 was slightly over half a million sterling, according to Mr. Valentine. The increase in Mexico was so small as hardly to be worth mentioning, but in Australasia there was an increase in 1888 over 1887 of nearly a quarter of a million sterling, and in Russia the increase in the same period was slightly over a quarter of a million sterling. We know independently that there was a very considerable increase in the production of South Africa. Apart, however, from South Africa, which promises in the future to become a very important factor in this question, there was a sensible increase in the yield of the three great gold-producing countries—the United States, Australasia, and Russia—amounting together to about a million sterling in the latest year for which we have information.

In the Import markets to-day business generally was quiet, although there were a few special transactions for the replenishing of stocks destroyed by the floods at Brisbane. Comparatively little business with the country has been done. The demand for flour is confined almost entirely to trade parcels, the market being steady. Some parcels of yellow sugar were cleared off at from £22 to £24 10s, and browns were sold at £19. As the European beet season extends, estimates of the yield are enlarged. For the six months ended February Mr. Licht estimates the production as giving a surplus of 778,000 tons, an increase in the estimate of last month by 78,000 tons; while within the month he has increased his estimate for the whole year from 764,000 tons to 814,000 tons, only 50,000 tons. This large increase in the production of beet has doubtless tended to keep down the price to the low level at which it has been ruling for some time. Some shipments of beet sugar are advised from Germany, 1100 bags in all, no doubt owing to the scarcity and high prices ruling for white sugar in this market. There was some inquiry for dried fruit for Queensland. Parcels of currants were sold at from 2¼d to 2½d per lb. in bond for export. Elemes were quitted at 5¾d, duty paid; 100 boxes at auction sold at 5½d. In fish there is very little doing. The auction line of salmon was passed in. Some business was done in lobsters at 8s 9d. Coarse salt is moving off at 85s, fine at 100s, and rock at 80s to 85s. There was more inquiry for candles, with sales at 6d, and some holders now refuse to quote under 6½d: but the stocks for the time prevent the upward movement being general. A quantity of prime new malt was sold at 7s, the range of quotations varying from 6s to 7s, according to quality. In liquids, trade is about as dull as it possibly could be. At auction, 100 cases Guinness's stout sold at 6s 6d, and 25 cases stout at 4s 8d. There was some little inquiry for galvanised iron, though no transactions of moment at came under notice. Some further business in bran bags was carried through at 4s 7d; and sales of cornsacks at from 5s 9d to 5s 10d were reported. Castor oil is being moved off at 3s. For kerosene oil there is a good demand, stocks getting into small compass; still low test can be obtained for 10½d, and high test from 13d. Cement is in request for Queensland, where considerable quantities have been destroyed by the flood.

Messrs. Fraser and Co. advertise for sale by auction to-morrow (Wednesday) morning, tea, sugar, cigars, &c.

The ship Theophane arrived to-day from London, with a miscellaneous cargo valued at £37,200.

The M.M. Company's steamer Yarra left to-day for Marseilles, via ports, with 396 bales wool, 61 bales leather, 36 casks 10 tierces beef, 75 bales skins, 44 bales glue pieces, 162 casks tallow, 3 bales sinews, 2 bales cowhair, 1 case books, 7 kegs nails, 1023 ingots, 33 cases nickel, 2178 bags copper ore, 3581 bags cobalt, and sundries.

The following was the Customs revenue received to-day:—

Spirits, £1670 12s 8d; wine, still, £161 15s; wine, sparkling, £11 15s; ale, porter, and beer, in wood, £65; ale, porter, and beer, in bottles, £106 12s 8d; tobacco and snuff, £202 1s; tobacco, unmanufactured, for manufacturing purposes only, £364 14s; cigars, £259 19s 10d; cigarettes, £185 12s 6d; tea, £547 7s 8d; coffee, £1 4s; coffee, raw, £14; sugar, unrefined, £507 10s; opium, £47 17s 6d; rice, £141 8s 5d; specific duty, Bacon and hams, £29 6s 11d; candles, £139 11s 8d; cement, £25 8s; cocoa and chocolate, £16 4s 6d; confectionery, £34 3s 2d; dynamite and lithofracteur, 8s 4d; essences over 25 per cent. of proof spirit, £1 11s 6d; fish, £130 12s 10d; galvanised iron, £72 1s 9d; galvanised manufactures, £30 7s 9d; glucose, solid, £125; glucose, liquid, £8 16s 10d; iron and steel wire, £307 5s; jams and jellies, £80 2s 11d; oil, kerosene, £80; oils, in bottle, £3 15s; oils, other, £45 7s; paints, £23 12s 1d; preserves, £21; salt, £10; tapioca and semolina, £110 10s; timber, dressed, £149 0s 11d; harbour and light rates, £1 17s; pilotage—Sydney, £35 8s 8d; harbour dues, £6; colonial distilled spirits, £106 16s 8d; excise on beer, £283 15s. Total, £6324 10s 11d.

COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

MELBOURNE, TUESDAY.

Sales of new wheat were made made at 3s 8½d to 3s 9d, the market closing firm at 3s 9d. There is a good demand for Cape barley at 2s 5d. Business in sugar is slow. Taikoo whites brought £29 at auction. The market in tea is unusually dull and oppressed. Candles sold at auction at 6⅞d for 700 boxes Scheidams. Line of 1000 boxes Sultanas placed for export at 4½d. Redcliffe G.C. iron sold at £21. There is a demand for fencing wire. The timber auction was moderately active, Baltic selling freely.

Among investment stocks, Mercantile Bank were rather lower; Commercial in continued request and sold at a further advance. Metropolitan Gas, Silverton Tramway, and Melbourne Tramway and Omnibus had good support. Commercial Bank, £10 16s 6d; Federal Bank, 62s 6d; Tramway and Omnibus, £6 15s 6d, £6 16s 6d.

PRODUCE MARKET—TUESDAY.

This morning, owing to the supplies being in an unsuitable place for the convenience of purchasers, there was no sales of forage held at the Darling Harbour Railway Terminus. A few lots of wood were offered, which were purchased readily, high values being obtained. At the wharfs the shipments received were from New Zealand and the Southern ports. Trade opened quietly. For good, well-saved, dry lucerne hay holders quote higher figures. Potatoes steady. Bran was slightly firmer. The butter market was dull. Bacon commanded fair attention. Poultry were in request. At Darling Harbour sales the following were the quotations:—

Wood.—The wet weather in the country districts delayed consignments. Billet, 1ts to 13s per ton; bundle, 11s to 15s 6d; foot, 12s to 16s 6d; bakers, 10s 6d to 13s 6d.

At the wharfs the wholesale quotations were:—

Wheat.—Good milling parcels worth 3s 7d per bushel; chickfeed, 2s 9d to 3s.

Flour.—South Australian and Victorian roller makes range from £10 to £11 per ton; New Zealand, £8 10s to £9; New South Wales roller brands, £9 10s to £9 15s; stone, £8 10s to £9.

Maize.—Stocks have accumulated. Best old dry parcels at 3s 9d per bushel; new, 3s 3d.

Oats.—Prices of bright stout feeding descriptions were from 2s 1d to 2s 3d per bushel; discoloured, from 1s 11d.

Bran.—Slightly firmer, at 7½d per bushel.

Pollard.—Worth 7½d per bushel.

Hay.—Only very limited stocks were available on the wharfs. Best lots quoted £4 5s to £4 10s per ton; other kinds, from £2 5s.

Chaff.—Further additional supplies yesterday afternoon from Victoria. Unaltered, £4 to £4 10s per ton; Adelaide, to £4 10s.

Onions.—Prices of Victorian varieties ranged from £3 10s to £4 7s 6d per ton, according to condition.

Potatoes.—1278 bags this morning from New Zealand. Prime sound Warrnambool, at £3 10s per ton; New Zealand, £4 5s; Tasmanian descriptions, £4 10s to £5.

Butter.—Ample stocks and the market was dull. Factory-made, from the Illawarra districts, 1s 1d to 1s 3d; dairy makes, 9d to 1s per lb.

Cheese.—Business in this commodity continues on a limited scale. Values, from 1½d to 5d per lb.

Bacon.—Hand-cured Southern was in fair demand at 7d to 8d per lb.; machine-cured, 5d to 6½d; hams, 7d to 9d.

Lard.—Finely rendered, in bladders, steady, 4d to 4½d per lb.; bulk, 2d to 3d.

Eggs.—Southern districts' lines at 1s 6d to 1s 8d per dozen; Northern rivers' lots, 1s 4d to 1s 5d.

Poultry.—In demand at per pair: Fowls, 3s 6d to 4s 6d; ducks, 4s to 4s 8d; geese, 5s 6d to 6s 6d; turkeys, 7s to 13s.

LEATHER AND SKIN SALES.

Respecting yesterday's auction leather sales, Messrs. F. L. Barker and Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, report that short supplies were available. There was a fairly active demand for all dressed leathers, particularly kip, which maintained last week's auction rates. There is an absence of shipping inquiry for sale, and there is little doing in it. Rather small supplies of marsupialskins were offered, attributable to the flooded state of the various country districts delaying consignments. Competition throughout the sales was extremely brisk, especially for large and well-furred kangarooskins. The market was firm. Messrs. J. Bridge and Co., J. H. Geddes and Co., F. L. Barker, Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., and Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Limited, report holding sales. Quotations: Extra large and heavy grey kangarooskins, 85s to 110s per dozen; choice lines, 113s to 115s; large, 60s to 80s; fair, 38s to 54s; medium, 20s to 34s; small, 9s to 18s; very small, 1s to 7s; wallerooes, 1s to 50s; redskins, 2s to 66s; Wallaby, brush, 1s to 11s; swamp, 1s to 15s; rock, 1s to 8s 6d; large opossum, 5s to 8s 9d; other sizes, 1s to 4s 9d; bear, 1s to 2s 6d. Fairly good catalogues of sheepskins were also brought forward to a full attendance, both of shipping and local fellmongery interests, who operated freely at rates fully equal to those recently current. Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Limited, Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., J. Bridge and Co., J. H. Geddes and Co., Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, and Hill, Clark and Co. report having held sales. Prices were:—Best butchers' full-woolled skins, 48d to 60d; extra good, to 70d; seconds, 33d to 40d; short and pelts, 7d to 24d. Best dry skins, 5¾d to 6¼d per lb.; fair-woolled, 4½d to 5¼d; short to medium, 3d to 4d.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

At the afternoon calls at the Exchanges yesterday, Broken Hill scrip showed a lowering tendency. The transactions, however, were very few, and there were no signs of improvement in the present extremely dull market. Central had the best demand; they opened at £11 10s, the closing price of the previous day, but they afterwards receded to £10 16s. Block 10 scrip sold at £12 5s to £12 1s. British shares changed hands at 92s and 90s. Junction were disposed of at £5 5s. Victoria Cross dropped from 7s 3d to 6s 6d. Souths remained steady at £6 5s and £6 2s 6d, and new issue eased from £5 10s to £5 5s. There was very little inquiry for gold stock. Maritoto sold at 4s 4½d, and contributing at 3s 3d and 3s 6d. Lankelly shares brought 5s; Bonang, 6s 7d; and Baker's Creek, 42s.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The following sales were yesterday effected:—Morning: Broken Hill Block 10, £12 5s, £12, £12 1s; Central, £11 9s, £11 10s; South, new issue, £5 10s; Central Block, 7s; Hero, contributing, 3s 4d; Victoria Cross, 7s 3d, 7s, 6s 10d; Baker's Creek Gold, 42s. Afternoon: British Broken Hill Silver, 92s, 91s, 90s; Central, £11, £10 19s, £10 17s 6d, £10 17s, £10 16s 6d, £10 16s; Junction, £5 5s; New North, 26s 6d; South, £6 5s, £6 2s 6d—new issue, £5 5s; Victoria Cross, 6s 9d, 6s 6d.

Appended are the latest quotations:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
COAL.			Hero, contrib.	3/8	3/9
Burwood 20s paid	23/6	24/	Imperial B. H.	—	7/
New issue	5/3	—	Ditto, contrib.	—	5/
Stockton	29/3	—	Junction South	—	7/6
New issue	—	9/6	Lewis Ponds N.	—	4/6
Vale of Clwydd	—	12/	Ditto, contrib.	1/6	2/
Wallsend	44	—	Ditto, Tom's	7/	7/6
Waratah	8	8¼	Ditto, contrib.	4/6	5/
West Wallsend	11/	12/	Pinnacle Group	—	8/
Wickham and Bullock I.	26/9	27/6	Rising Sun	3/6	4/6
New, call paid	6/6	7/3	Round Hill	7	8
Ditto, pref.	11/6	—	Sunny Corner	—	31/
Young Wallsend	12/	—	Victoria Cross	6/6	6/9
COPPER.			Webb's	4/9	—
Great Cobar	3/	—	Ditto, Consols	1/	2/
Great Central	1/	—	Ditto, contrib.	—	—
Nymagee	—	—	White Leads	3/6	—
SILVER.			Wongalah	—	3/6
Brit'h Bn. Hill	90/	92/	GOLD.		
B'kn. Hill Pro.	11¾	12	Baker's Creek	42/	43/
Ditto, Block	1/2	—	Ditto, North	6/6	—
Ditto, Block 10	11/13/6	11¾	Ditto South	—	5/6
Ditto, Block 14	5/14/	5 16/	Bonang	—	7/
Ditto, Central	10½	10/16/6	Delaney's D'ke	3/9	4/6
B. H. Junction	5 4/	5/5/	Koh-i-noor	—	1/3
B. H. N.	26/	27/	Major Creek	4/6	—
B. H. S.	6	6/2	Maritoto	3/10	—
New Issue	5	5¼	Ditto, contrib.	3/	3/9
Ditto, Block 5	25/	30/	Mount Morgan	6¼	—
South Extend.	7/	7/6	Ophir	52/6	57/
Central Block	—	8/9	Royal Standard	5/	7/
Cosgrove	—	9/	Sunlight	12/6	19/
Ditto, contrib.	2/6	3/	Star of the East	6¼	6¾
Castle Rag	—	40/	Taranganba	2d	4d
Hero	5/9	6/0	Victory	22/	—
			Crawford (sp.) contrib.	—	4/6

Stock Exchange of New South Wales.—Noon sales.—Silver: North Junction, 6s 3d; South, £6 7s; Tom's Lewis Pond, contributing, 5s. Gold: Lankelly, 5s. Afternoon.—Silver: Central, £10 17s 6d; New North, 6s 4½d, 6s 6d; Phoenix, 15s. Gold: Maritoto, contributing, 3s 6d.

The latest quotations were:—Silver: Block 14, buyer £5 15s, seller £5 17s; Central, buyer £11, seller £11 10s; Junction, seller £5 8s 6d; New Norths, buyer 6s 6d, seller 6s 9d; South, buyer £6 2s 6d, seller £6 5s 6d; South, new issue, buyer £5; Imp. Broken Hill Blocks, buyer 6s, seller 7s; Brisbane Blocks, 1s; Castle King No. 2, buyer 2s, seller 3s; Castle King No. 2, contributing, seller 2s 9d; Castle Rag, buyer 22s 6d, seller 28s; Hero, seller 7s; Hero, contributing, seller 3s 9d; Lewis Ponds, contributing, buyer 1s 9d, seller 1s 11d; Lewis Ponds, Tom's, buyer 6s 9d, seller 8s; Tom's Lewis Ponds, contributing, buyer 4s 10½d, seller 5s 3d; Phoenix, seller 14s 6d; Terrible Dick, new, buyer 1s; White Leads, buyer 4s, seller 5s 4d; White Rocks, seller 10s 6d. Gold: Baker's Creek North, contributing, seller 5s; Band and Albion Consols, buyer 10s, seller 13s; Bonang, seller 7s; Crawford's Special, contributing, seller 6s; Ethel May, buyer 4s, seller 4s 6d; Gold Hills, buyer 3s 6d; Lady Carrington, contributing, seller 3s 6d; Lankelly, buyer 5s 3d, seller 7s 9d; Maritoto, seller 5s 6d; Maritoto, contributing, buyer 3s, seller 3s 3d; Ophir, seller 57s; Victory, Charters Towers, buyer 24s 6d, seller 26s.

Australasian Mining Exchange.—Sales: Morning—Silver, New North, 27s; Junctions, £5 10s; North Junction, 6s 3d. Gold, Maritoto, contributing, 3s 3d. Afternoon—Silver, Block 10, £12; British, 93s; Centrals, £11 1s; New North, 26s 6d; Junctions, £5 8s, £5 7s 6d; North Junction, 6s 6d; Round Hill, £7 5s. Gold, Bonang, 6s 7d; Maritoto, paid, 4s 4½d.

Appended are the latest quotations:—Silver: Sunny Corner, morning, buyer 30s. Broken Hill Block 14, morning, buyer £5 16s 6d, seller £5 19s; afternoon, buyer £5 15s, seller £5 17s. Broken Hill Block 10, morning, buyer £12 2s 6d, seller £12 5s; afternoon, buyer £11 11s, seller £11 19s. Broken Hill South S. N. I., morning, buyer £5 7s 6d, seller £5 15s; afternoon, buyer £5 3s, seller £5 9s. Broken Hill British, paid, morning, buyer 92s, seller 95s 6d; afternoon, buyer 91s, seller 93s 6d. Broken Hill Central, paid, morning, buyer £11 5s, seller £11 14s; afternoon, buyer £10 15s 6d, seller £10 17s. Broken Hill Central Block, morning, buyer 7s, seller 8s; afternoon, buyer 6s, seller 7s 6d. Broken Hill South, old issue, morning, buyer £6 5s, seller £6 7s 6d; afternoon, buyer £6 2s 6d, seller £6 4s. South Extended, morning, buyer 7s 3d, seller 8s; afternoon, buyer 6s 10½d, seller 7s 9d. New North, morning, buyer 26s 3d, seller 27s 6d; afternoon, buyer 26s, seller 27s. Junction, morning, buyer £5 8s, seller £5 12s; afternoon, buyer £5 5s, seller £5 8s. Junction North, morning, buyer 6s 3d, seller 6s 6d; afternoon, buyer 6s 3d, seller 6s 6d. Imperial Block, morning, buyer 5s 6d, seller 7s 9d. Brisbane Block, paid, morning, buyer 1s 2d. White Leads, morning, buyer 4s, seller 7s. Round Hill, morning, buyer £7 2s 6d, seller £7 10s; afternoon, buyer £7, seller £7 5s. Rising Sun, morning, buyer 3s 6d, seller, 4s 6d; afternoon, buyer 3s 4½d, seller 4s. Rising Sun Extended, morning, seller 2s. Victoria Cross, morning, buyer 6s 9d, seller 7s 6d; afternoon, seller 7s. Webb's, paid, morning, buyer 5s 6d, seller 7s 6d. Webb's, contributing, morning, buyer 5s; afternoon, buyer 5s. New Terrible Dick, morning, buyer 1s 9d, seller 2s 6d; afternoon, buyer 1s 9d, seller 2s 3d. Maritoto, paid, morning, buyer 3s 6d, seller 5s; afternoon, buyer 4s 3d, seller 4s 6d. Maritoto, contributing, morning, buyer 3s 1d, seller 3s 3d; afternoon, buyer 3s 5d, seller 3s 9d. Lewis Ponds, contributing, morning, buyer 1s 8d, seller 2s 2d; afternoon, buyer 1s 8d, seller 2s 3d. Tom's Lewis Ponds, paid, morning, seller 7s 6d. Tom's Lewis Ponds, contributing, morning, seller 5s 6d. Spicer's, contributing, morning, seller 1s. Hero Freehold, paid, afternoon, buyer 5s 9d, seller 7s. Hero Freehold, contributing, morning, buyer 3s 4½d, seller 3s 6d; afternoon, buyer 3s 3d. Castle Rag, afternoon, seller 40s. Lily, paid, morning, buyer £6, seller £8; afternoon, buyer £5 10s, seller £7 10s. Lily, contributing, afternoon, buyer £4. Gold: Golden Gully, paid, morning, seller 3s 6d. Lankelly, paid, afternoon, buyer 5s 3d, seller 10s. Lankelly, contributing, morning buyer 3s. Bonang, morning, buyer 6s 6d, seller 6s 7½d; afternoon, buyer 6s 3d, seller 7s. Ophir, afternoon, buyer 50s. United Bluey, morning, seller 13s 6d. Taranganba, morning, buyer 3d, seller 4d. Koh-i-noor, paid, afternoon, seller 2s 6d. Baker's Creek North, contributing, morning, seller 5s. Lady Carrington, morning, buyer 12s.

MEETINGS OF COMPANIES.

The first general meeting of shareholders in Crawford's Special Gold-mining Company, No-Liability, was held on Monday at the Company's office. Mr. H. S. Meyers was elected chairman, and the following gentlemen were elected directors of the company:—John Bell, H. S. Meyers, S. Davis, R. C. Backhouse, Jas. Anderson, and T. C. Bayldon (the latter as local director at the Thames, New Zealand). The proposed rules of the company were unanimously adopted, and it was resolved that the ordinary general meetings of the company be held in July and January of each year. The appointments of Mr. Seymour T. George as local secretary in N. Z.; also, Mr. A. H. Collier as auditor were confirmed. The chairman laid before the meeting correspondence and cablegrams recently received from the mine manager, and the shareholders present expressed their satisfaction at the progress that had been made in the mine since the formation of the company.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, TUESDAY.

The market for silver was extremely depressed to-day, all being freely pressed for sale, and closing at reduced prices. As usual, Block 10 and Central were mostly dealt in, the former falling to £11 17s and the latter to £10 15s. Broken Hill Proprietary closed at £11 8s, South Broken £6 3s, Junction £5 4s, Block 5 at 26s, Broken Hill Extended 17s 9d. Underlay were an exception, being supported to 3s 1½d. An assay of ore from the Argus line gives 374oz. silver to the ton. New Koh-i-noor Gold Company were in good request, but sellers were wide and no sales were recorded. Mount Morgan gold sold lower.

Sales.—Broken Hill, £11 11s, £11 8s; Block 10, £12 3s, £11 16s; Block 14, £5 15s, £5 13s; Junction, £5 7s, £5 4s; South, paid, £6 9s 9d, £6 2s 6d; South Extended, 7s 9d, 7s 3d; Block 5, 27s, 26s; Broken Extended, 18s 6d, 18s 9d; Central, paid, £11 9s, £10 14s 6d; New North Broken, 27s; Peelwood, 6s, 5s 9d; Round Hill, £7, £7 5s; White Lead, 5s 6d; Madame Berry, 94s; Mount Morgan, £6 5s, £6 6s 3d.

LITHGOW, TUESDAY.

The favourable change in the workings of the Luck's All mine is regarded with satisfaction, local shareholders being confident that the manager will ultimately get the long-looked-for reef.

BROKEN HILL, TUESDAY.

I am still unable to say more about the crosscut at the 400ft. level in the Central mine other than that it is now in softer material of a kaolin nature. The face of the crosscut is now about 53ft. in the west of the shaft. A rumour is current that the lode has been passed through, but this is totally unfounded. The development of carbonate ore south of the shaft and below the 300ft. level is proving to be a fine body, the actual known width being 36ft., and no sign of the wall. At Block 10 the manager is initiating a vigorous policy of development, and men are now engaged in extending the 400ft. level south, and also in running a crosscut east. In the south drive the ore consists of iron, carbonate lead, and kaolin, the latter making both above and below. In the east crosscut there is a boulder of galena on one side, with kaolin in the south side overhead and under foot. The manager expects to send away 200 tons of ore per week, and he expresses the highest possible opinion of the mine. During the last week an important discovery was made on the underlay blocks. A shaft recently sunk 50ft. on the quartz and ironstone vein. Not having met with the carbonate ore known to exist in the south-west corner of the Proprietary Block 11, a costeen pit was made close to the boundary, where corresponding ore was struck a few feet below alluvial soil on this trial. The shaft is now being sunk, and is down 8ft. or 9ft. The ore is of a highly promising appearance, greatly resembling that in the upper levels in the Proprietary mine. It consists of silicious gossany ironstone, carbonate of lead, and yellow clay, and promises to be of considerable size, as it now covers the whole of the bottom and sides of the shaft, which is 6ft. by 3ft.

SUNNY CORNER, TUESDAY.

Wet weather still continues, heavy rain having fallen throughout the day. The Sunny Corner Company's smelting works closed down last night, want of fuel being the cause. There is abundance of coal and coke lying at Rydal, but owing to the impassable state of the roads heavy traffic is entirely suspended. As a result about 100 men have had to discontinue work. The Silver King Mine is still unable to start, the workings being flooded, and water is making almost as fast as pumped out. At this mine 80 hands have been knocked off. At the Phoenix, with the exception of a few miners, all work is suspended, the injury to the dam caused by the floods, and the want of fuel being here also the cause. Sixty men are thus thrown out of employment at this mine. The prolonged wet weather is retarding mining operations very much, and seriously affecting the prosperity of the place.

CRUSHING AND SMELTING RETURNS.

North Woah Hawp, Ballarat.—Crushed 209 tons for 163oz. 11dwt., including 42oz. 15dwt. from New Normanby Tribute.

New Normanby, Ballarat.—Crushed 181 tons for 152oz. 3dwt.

Webb's Silver-mine sorted for shipment 81 tons ore, and despatched 10 tons 4cwt. 1qr. 11lb., assaying 102oz. silver per ton; also raised 74 tons waste from drivers. Ore for despatch has come mainly from stope north end of 250, also from 150 level north drive, and some from the winze.

New Mount Costigan Silver-mining Company, Limited.—For week ending March 22 have treated 117 tons each of carbonate and sulphide ore, producing 11 tons 13 cwt. silver lead bullion, containing 2723oz. silver and 28oz. 10dwt. gold. Have also produced 2 tons 11 2wt. of first-class matte, containing 84oz. silver and 20 tons second-class matte, containing 522oz. silver. Total value of product for week, £1098 11s. (By wire) 24th instant: Furnace shut down owing to non-arrival of coke through bad state of roads. Will start again in two or three days.

MANAGERS' REPORTS.

Lily Silver-mining Company, March 18.—Sunk 5ft. for the past week on first-class ore; about 25 tons bagged which will average over £50 per ton; raising very rich ore from the workings.

Victory Gold-mining Company, Limited, March 15.—No. 10 south level: Reef here is small, but of improved quality. Stopes above average, 12in., catch poor stone. North side of shaft: Stopes are showing from 3 to 4 ft. of nice mineral stone. Stopes above No. 9 level on south side of underlay carry 18in. of good stone, and on the north from 6in. to 3ft. of fair quality. No. 8 level: The reef in the stopes is from 1 to 3 ft., and of good quality. Have 6in. of stone in face of drive on bottom reef at this level. Raised during fortnight 175 tons, of which 25 tons were included in the crushing finished last week, leaving 150 tons in the paddock. No. 2 shaft: Contractors sunk 23ft. 6in. during fortnight; total depth from surface, 177ft.

Crawford's Special Gold-mining Company, No Liability, Thames, N. Z., March 17.—Upper level: The lode at this level during the past week has been slightly split up, although it now appears to be making stronger, and an improvement may soon be expected. Gold continues to be seen in the reef in the drive, and also in the leading stope. Am starting a second stope over the leading one in order to get out more quartz. The distance driven for the past week is 12ft., making in all 204ft. Lower level: This level is now in a distance of 146ft., and the reef is about 3ft. thick, work has been slightly retarded, consequent upon the hardness of the reef, and also through its crossing the drive. Anticipate a favourable change when this reef gets into another class of country. Crushing will be commenced when the battery is available. The contractor has started to get the machinery and winding gear for the main shaft on the ground. (By cablegram), March 22.—Another parcel rich stone obtained from upper level, and a smaller parcel from second stope, both places promising.

Central Broken Hill Silver-mining Company, Limited, March 20.—400 level crosscut driven 12ft., total 46ft.; face in footwall slate. South shaft sunk 15ft., total depth 368ft.; bottom and all sides in carbonate ore. Bulk sample 24 per cent. lead and 104oz. silver. The lead carries considerable flux in oxide of iron. North shaft sunk 5ft., total 108ft. New North shaft sunk 7ft., total 59ft. East shaft sunk 3ft., total 48ft. North drive, 300 level, driven 22ft., total 745ft.; face gossan. No. 4 winze crosscut west at 70ft., face in silicious galena driven 8ft. 500 crosscut west 300 level driven by contract 3ft., total 58ft.; material same as last reported. 600 winze crosscut west cut down 11ft., distance west of winze about 38ft. 760 winze crosscut east 300, 4ft., total east 28ft.; low grade gossan. Winze No. 1 south of shaft 300 level sunk 12ft.; total, 57ft.; bottom in slate between the galena on the west and oxidised ore on east. No. 1 Rise lead lode 13ft.; total, 38ft.; some bunches of good carbonate ore and carbonate of copper. Rise No. 2, lead lode 200ft., north of shaft 16ft., total 28ft.; in ore very fine for lead carbonate, but low in silver; body apparently large. Rise No. 1 North 300, 10ft.; total, 26ft.; bulk sample to-day, 11oz. Rise No. 2 North, 300 level, 10ft.; roof in galena. W. crosscut from north drive S.W. winze at 58ft.; below 300 level driven 17ft. through carbonate ore; bulk sample, 50 per cent. lead, 37oz. silver. East crosscut south drive, S.W. winze driven 22ft.; bulk sample, 47 per cent. lead, 30oz. silver; both faces in good carbonate ore.

The Castle Moat Silver-mining Company, No Liability, March 21. The shaft has been sunk to a further depth of 6ft. 6in.; total, 117ft. 6in. There is no change as yet in the bottom, although the country is a little more settled. As soon as the shaft is sunk to 126ft. will start cross-cutting to both sides of the shaft unless otherwise instructed. Will also erect a whip pole and buy a horse for haulage purposes.

Coomooolittan Gold-mining Company, No Liability, Hillgrove.—The lode in tunnel has been broken the last few feet, but fresh make coming in, showing good antimony and quartz. Winze just commenced in this tunnel, showing rich antimony. The dam standing firmly. Pipes all laid. Foundation of battery completed, and stope boxes in position. Excavation for buddle started. If weather remains fine, will be ready to crush by 1st of May.

The Hero Freehold Silver and Gold Mining Company, March 15.—Slade's tunnel has been driven 4ft., making 95ft. from mark. The country is very hard, blue diorite being in the bottom of the drive. Have not connected the No. 2 tunnel with the main tunnel yet; have sunk 4ft., and put up the rise 3ft., and hope to hole through soon. Have finished putting in the sets in No. 2 winze, and will commence to put in the bearers next week. In cutting the hitches in the footwall discovered a nice seam of lead ore, which had not been cut before. Very heavy rain has fallen during the week, but everything in the mine is going on well. The secretary informs us that, by a telegram from Townsville, he learns the manager and the metallurgist were expected to reach the mine last Saturday.

Prince of Wales and Old Poverty, Tarnagulla, March 20.—Main shaft sunk 4ft. for the week; total depth 815ft. The ground is hard, but getting better for working. East crosscut extended 4ft. in hard sandstone and slate facings.

Last Chance United Ballarat.—No. 3 level north drive extended 11ft. in good working country. West crosscut in 101ft. off main drive; have started to rise 70ft. from the pug. No. 4 level crosscut driven 15ft. for the week; total from shaft 102ft.; now in sandstone.

South Woah Hawp, Ballarat.—Finished cutting chamber and started to drive for Indicator.

New Normanby, Ballarat.—Stone going south at No. 2 level maintains payable character; stone small in north drive. No. 3 level: Driving on stone. East crosscut at No. 4 level in 45ft. from Indicator in slate country. South drive at No. 5 level in 180ft. from crosscut. No. 6 level: Drives and stopes on stone without change. Main shaft down 801ft.; now being enlarged for opening frame. Have started crosscut from No. 2 shaft.

Butcher's Reef North Gold-mining Company, Bear-hill, March 17.—The tunnel has been driven 24ft., and holed to shaft; have started sinking the shaft again from this level. No. 3 shaft sunk 4ft.; total depth, 55ft.; stone good deal pinched at present.

Butcher's Reef Gold-mining Company, No Liability, March 17.—The tunnel has been extended 10ft., making total length 151ft. The reef in the face is somewhat contracted at present. Country still hard. Have had one shift employed during the fortnight straightening and timbering the drive preparatory to laying rails for truck-road. As soon as the rails are laid and truck at work I shall be ready to commence stoping. Have secured a good site for battery a short distance from the mine.

Webb's Silver-mining Company, Limited, March 22.—350 level: North drive advanced 1ft. 9in., total 69ft. 9in. Cut 4ft. to west from heading to determine nature of lode. Small traces of mineral showing in hard matrix. South drive extended 7ft. 3in. to total of 33ft. 9in. Driving on eastern side of lode. Well-defined wall on that side, and present ground more favourable for driving. Several veins of ore showing at present end. 250 level: North drive extended 5ft. 6in., total 69ft. 6in. Lode continues rather hard. South drive advanced 7ft., total 98ft. Narrow width of ore on east and face in sight better for driving. 150 level: North drive, extended 2ft. 9in. The ground continues very difficult breaking and slow driving, but ore showing of good quality. The centre of drive carries strong vein of fahlerz ore, with other minerals, the general appearance of ore corresponding to that found near No. 8 shaft, in 250ft. level. Winze to 200ft. level sunk 3ft. 6in., total 6ft. 9in. Portion of bottom showing ore of fair quality. No 8 shaft: Well hole sunk 5ft., bottom still showing vein of ore with considerable galena present, being continuation of vein which was present in the shaft sinking for some feet above the 250ft. level. Drive south extended, total 36ft. 6in., showing mineral veins; crosscutting lode. Have continued surface work.

Wandella Gold-mining Company, No Liability, March 17.—The river has been running a banker, and raining incessantly, consequently have not received the remainder of the material ordered; the rain has done us no damage; have been compelled to temporarily shorten hands until the rest of the material arrives; the connection between the boiler and the engine is now complete; the carpenters have the spitzlutten completed, and are now fixing them in position; expect will be the latter end of the week before the river is sufficiently low to allow the teams to cross with the material; a few days, or a week at most, after the arrival will see the stampers going.

Castle Rag Proprietary Silver-mining Company, Limited, March 22.—The main shaft plat for opening sets, 10ft. wide by 6ft. 6in. high, has been extended 4ft. The cages are now made for this shaft, and trucks being made for same. When the plat is cut out will put guides in this shaft for the cages to run on. Have let the tunnel extension to No. 2 shaft by contract. Mr. Bathurst has been very busily engaged at the works getting them in nearly perfect order, and is only now awaiting arrival of pellets. When these arrive works will be in full swing night and day.

Castle Queen Silver-mining Company, No Liability, March 22.—started to bale the shaft out by means of a whip; had to abandon it again owing to the influx of water, which is draining from the hill in the south.

Castle King Silver-mining Company, No Liability, March 22.—The tunnel has been extended 18ft., total 189ft.; country has been getting softer. South winze level 14ft. Will start crosscutting from the tunnel into the lode next week, which will intersect the lode at the deepest possible tunnel level, about 100ft. deep.

GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

The following announcements appeared in the *Government Gazette* yesterday afternoon:—

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS.—Public holidays are proclaimed as follows:—Gloucester, 27th instant; Condobolin, Moama, and Adelong, 26th; Gundagai and Howlong, 28th; Oberon, 1st proximo; Queanbeyan, 9th; Warialda, 11th proximo, also 15th May next; Moss Vale, 11th; Bathurst, 16th; Cudal and Bingera and Manning River, 17th; Uralla, 28th; Molong, 30th.

MILITARY.—Mr. Jasper Gaze Wiseman to be first lieutenant, and Mr. Robert A. Crow to be second lieutenant, in the Lithgow Company, 3rd Regiment Volunteer Infantry; Mr. Cornelius W. Donnelly to be first lieutenant, and Mr. Frithiof V. Wikner to be second lieutenant, in the Tamworth Company, 4th Regiment Volunteer Infantry; Second lieutenant Walter Baxter, to exchange from the Tamworth Corps, 4th regiment, to the Goulburn Corps, 2nd Regiment Volunteer Infantry; the Rev. Ernest C. Beck, A.K.C., to be chaplain to the Church of England troops stationed at the batteries on the north side of the harbour.

APPOINTMENTS.—Mr. Charles H. E. Pinhey, to be Registrar-General; Mr. Harold F. Norrie, to be clerk in charge of bonds and contracts in the Public Works Department; Mr. R. T. M'Kay, to be a mining surveyor; Mr. Richard Burrowes, to be warden's bailiff at Glen Innes; Mr. Robert A. Fraser, to be pilot at the Richmond River.

NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL.—A public school is to be established at Young Wallsend, near Wallsend.

RETIREMENTS.—Mr. Henry H. Hunt, teacher, Public School, Forbes, and Mr. John Cobb, locomotive engineer, Department of Railways, retire from the Civil Service.

TENDERS ACCEPTED.—P. Elliston and Sons, supply of water for steam punt, spit, ferry, Middle Harbour; R. H. Worthing, additions, &c., Whingham Wharf, Manning River; Dy. Stewart and Co., supply of cast-iron water pipes, Hunter River district water supply; Carter and Co., extension of Bourke-street sewer, contract 56, Sydney Sewerage; J. H. Gallagher, levelling, &c., at Dawes Battery; Hutchison and Collins, formation of roadway, &c., Victoria Barracks; Chambers and Grocock, tar-paving, &c., Victoria Barracks; Parry and Farley, erection of canteen at barracks, South Head; W. F. Pitman, erection of bridge, Shugg's Creek, road Rydalmere to Carlingford; Parry and Farley, erection of guardroom, &c., barracks, South Head; Harris and Evans, erection of bridge of Eucumbene River, road Cooma to Kiandra; Arthur Davis, construction of wooden punt for Richmond River; Smith and Mack, repairs, barracks, South Head; Bennett and Speechley, supply of punt gearing for year 1890; John Crimson, contract No. 2, footway, Iron Cove Bridge; Overall and Norman, contract No 1, footway, Iron Cove Bridge; G. Langley, additions, &c., lamp-posts, Victoria Barracks; J. Lutton and Sons, supply of two two-ton whip cranes.

TEACHERS APPOINTED.—The undermentioned teachers are appointed to the positions and schools specified:—Mr. Alexander M'Donald, teacher, Public school, Thorp's Pinch; Miss Ellen Kelly, Douglas; Miss Edith Stark, Maluerindi; Miss Sarah Cracknell, Cockatoo Flat; Mr. Arthur Yeo, Alcotowa; Mrs. Louise Abberton, Springborough; Mr. Martin M. Ryan, teacher, Half-time schools, Mundawdera and Ilawsonville. Mr. Nathaniel Pye, teacher, Provisional school, Rotherfield; Mr. William Emery, Megio; Miss Jane Penfold, Oakey Creek; Miss Fanny Campbell, Haystack; Miss Mary Lake, Bluff River; Miss Annie M'Pherson, Wooram; Miss Nellie Taylor, mistress, infants' department, Superior Public school, Armidale: Mrs. Jane Richards, Carrington.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS AND MAP FOR MARCH 25.

EXPLANATORY.

BAROMETRIC CURVE. Perth, Pt; Newcastle, N; Albury, Ay; Eucla, Ea; Cape Borda, CB; Adelaide, A; Robe, Re; Portland, P; Melbourne, M; Gabo, Go; Sydney, S; Wilson's Promontory, W.P.; Eden, E; Moruya, Ma; Jervis Bay, CG; Wollongong, WG; Port Macquarie, PM; Brisbane, B; Clarence R., C; Cooktown, C, Rockhampton, R.

LIST OF STATIONS. Weather at 9 a.m.

W.T.: Blue sky, b; detached clouds, c; drizzling rain, d; fog, f; gloomy, g; hazy, h; misty, m; frosty, n; overcast, o; passing showers, p; rain, r; snow, s; thunder, t; threatening, u.

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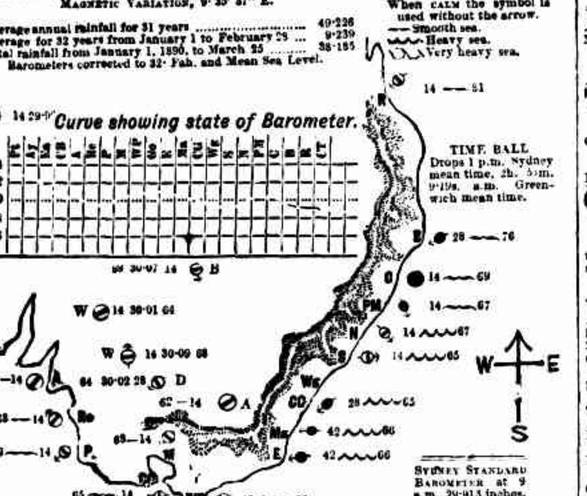
The readings of the barometer and of the thermometer inland at Albury (A), Deniliquin (D), Wentworth (W), Wilcannia (Wi), Bourke (B), and Alice Springs (AS) are given in figures. Atmospheric currents are shown by arrows flying with the wind, the velocity of which is given in miles per hour.

SYDNEY OBSERVATORY.

LATITUDE, 33° 51' 41" S. LONGITUDE 10h. 4m. 50·31s. E. MAGNETIC VARIATION, 9° 35' 37" E.

Average annual rainfall for 31 years ... 49·226
Average for 32 years from January 1 to February 28 ... 9·239
Total rainfall from January 1, 1890, to March 25 ... 38·185
Barometers corrected to 32° Fah. and Mean Sea Level.

Fine, wind S. Cloudy, wind W. T. Storm, wind N. Rain, wind E. When CALM the symbol is used without the arrow. — Smooth sea. Heavy sea. Very heavy sea.



Stations.	Wt	Mx	M	Rn.	Stations.	Wt	Mx	M	Rn.
Albury	g	71	61	0·40	Coonabarabran	p	71	58	0·31
Armidale	g	—	57	0·68	Coonamble	r	84	59	1·75
Balranald	g	75	55	0·09	Cootamundra	-	—	—	0·91
Bathurst	d	71	54	1·82	Cowra	r	73	54	1·77
Bega	-	—	—	4·90	Cudgellico	g	—	61	0·50
Bendemeer	p	86	44	0·17	Deniliquin	g	74	58	0·60
Bodalla	r	—	61	3·64	Dubbo	u	67	62	2·00
Bombala	r	53	44	1·10	Eden	p	70	63	1·53
Bourke	m	82	66	1·15	Euston	b	84	58	0
Bowral	r	60	55	4·02	Forbes	p	82	43	1·21
Brewarrina	c	84	62	0·31	Gabo Island	c	68	64	0.22
Burwood	-	—	—	6·00	Gilgandra	-	—	—	1·83
Bundarra	g	—	40	0·36	Glen Innes	r	78	55	1·88
Camden	-	—	—	4·01	Goulburn	r	62	55	1·80
Camden Haven	r	72	60	1·55	Grafton	r	81	63	1·02
Cape St. George	r	—	61	6·00	Gulgong	g	—	—	0·25
Carcoar	r	62	43	1·30	Gunnedah	b	76	62	0·11
Casino	r	76	68	0·80	Hill End	p	—	—	0·80
Casilis	g	69	64	0·17	Hillston	g	60	48	0·30
Clarence	r	79	69	1·61	Hay	c	78	56	0·87
Condobolin	g	89	64	2·25	Inverell	c	68	63	0·42
Cooma	r	65	53	0·65	Kiandra	r	50	45	0·74

Stations.	Wt	Mx	M	Rn.	Stations.	Wt	Mx	M	Rn.
Lismore	r	71	69	0·79	Parramatta	-	—	—	4·09
Maitland	g	66	59	1·80	Picton	r	64	58	5·22
Manning Heads	c	69	—	0	Port Macquarie	r	71	66	1·35
Marsdens	c	71	63	2·15	Port Stephens	g	68	64	3·32
Menindie	g	—	—	0	Queanbeyan	g	72	47	1·45
Molong	c	87	47	1·40	Quirindi	r	75	63	0·21
Morangarell	c	74	60	1·57	Singleton	g	73	61	1·84
Moree	g	89	60	0·02	Scone	g	—	63	0·49
Moruya	r	69	62	4·02	Sydney	c	70	62	5·66
Moss Vale	d	58	56	2·91	Tamworth	b	72	63	0·03
Mount Hope	r	77	53	0·08	Taralga	g	—	—	2·18
Mount Victoria	m	—	64	3·54	Taree	r	—	—	2·37
Mudgee	r	67	54	0·38	Tenterfield	r	65	60	0·36
Mungindi	g	74	62	0·18	Wagga	d	70	59	0·83
Murrumburrah	r	64	50	2·34	Walcha	g	62	50	0·63
Murrurundi	b	67	60	0·35	Walgett	g	70	63	0·70
Muswellbrook	g	71	63	0·34	Warialda	-	—	—	0·26
Narrabri	b	82	61	0	Wentworth	b	82	54	0
Newcastle	g	68	64	3·85	Werris Creek	b	90	60	0
Nowra	-	—	—	5·28	Wilcannia	g	79	60	0
Nyngan	-	—	—	0·60	Wollongong	r	67	57	6·60
Orange	g	101	54	1·98	Young	p	64	48	1·88

SYNOPSIS.

New South Wales.—Generally cloudy or raining; cyclonic circulation.

Victoria and Straits.—Fine but unsettled, and in places threatening.

Queensland.—Cloudy and showery along the coast; N.E. winds.

South Australia.—Fine and pleasant; scattered clouds in places.

Western Australia.—Fine, with some clouds; easterly winds.

Central and Northern Australia.—Fine, with S.E. winds.

Tasmania.—Unsettled and showery; variable winds.

New Zealand.—Fine, with southerly winds.

Forecast.—New South Wales: Winds very variable: strong easterly on the southern parts of coast veering to south, weather unsettled with more rain on coast.—H. C. RUSSELL. Victoria: Cloudy, unsettled, and sultry, with light and variable winds.—R. J. ELLERY. South Australia: Fine, but with tendency to become cloudy; probably partial light rain on the coast.—C. TODD.

Rain has fallen in previous 24 hours.—New South Wales: Heavy to very heavy on the coast generally; light to moderate, and in places heavy inland, but none in far west, and very light in the New England districts and Liverpool Plains. The heaviest records occurred along the eastern slopes, but chiefly on the coast line south from Newcastle. Cape George, 6·0; Wollongong, 6·60, Moruya, 4·02; Bodalla, 3·64; Sydney, 5·66; Mt. Victoria, 3·54; Port Stephens, 3·32; Bowral, 4·02; Newcastle, 3·85. Victoria: Light in a few scattered places. Tasmania: Light on the north coast.

3 P.M. OBSERVATIONS.

Bathurst, calm, cloudy, 70°; Dubbo, N.W., cloudy, 71°; Wilcannia, E., cloudy, 73°; Port Macquarie, N.E., fine, 74°; Deniliquin, calm, cloudy, 72°; Wentworth, S., cloudy, 74°; Newcastle, N.E., fine, 78°; Forbes, S.E., cloudy, 71°; Sydney, N.E., cloudy, 70°.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR MARCH 26.

Sun rises at 6.9, sets at 6.2; Moon, 11.29 a.m., 0.27 p.m.; Mercury, 5.5 a.m., 5.39 p.m.; Venus, 6.49 a.m., 6.31 p.m.; Mars, 9.11 p.m., 11.15 a.m.; Jupiter, 1.23 a.m., 3.13 p.m.; Saturn, 4.25 p.m., 3.12 a.m. Full moon 7th, new moon 21st.

High water at Fort Denison, 11.47 a.m., — p.m.

H. C. RUSSELL, Government Astronomer.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works was held in the Colonial Secretary's Department yesterday afternoon. There were present:—Mr. J. P. Abbott, M.L.A. (chairman), Messrs. J. Lackey, W. J. Trickett, Dr. Garran, Ms.L.C., J. E. Tonkin, C. A. Lee, H. Copeland, and W. S. Dowel, Ms.L.A.

WITNESSES' EXPENSES.

The CHAIRMAN called the attention of the committee to a letter appearing in the *Sydney Morning Herald* signed by Mr. H. T. Sanderson, a gentleman who was examined before the committee. The letter had reference to the treatment that gentleman was alleged to have received from the committee. He did not suppose the committee would take any notice of the communication. This gentleman signed himself a civil engineer and a licensed surveyor, and it was therefore likely to carry some weight with the public. He stated he was called before the committee and examined but the committee refused to pay him his expenses. He (the chairman) was not present when the gentleman was examined, but he made a claim for expenses which he looked into and he found that Mr. Sanderson volunteered to give evidence. He asked to be examined and then went out and inspected the railway route on which he proposed to give evidence. He then came before the committee and gave evidence, and wound up by sending in a bill for expenses not only for attending before the committee but for examining the route. They had received more than one application from surveyors and engineers to be examined, and with the exception of Mr. Hamaod, he did not think the committee ever authorised anyone to prepare themselves for giving evidence. Mr. Hamaod had given valuable information, but he had not even asked for his travelling expenses up to the present time. Mr. Sanderson had no claim on the committee; he employed himself, and then assessed his own value, after which he wrote a letter to the paper as if he had a grievance, when he had none at all.

Mr. DOWEL said that this gentleman was employed by the people of Burwood to make a survey.

CORRESPONDENCE.

A letter was received from W. Shenstone, secretary of the Sydney Tramway and Omnibus Company, requesting that the chairman of the company—Mr. J. R. Carey—might be examined before the committee on the matter of the cable tramways.

A letter was read from Carson Woods with regard to the system of electric tramways.

KING-STREET TO OCEAN-STREET TRAMWAY.

The committee further considered the matter of the proposed cable tramway from King-street, via William-street, to Ocean-street.

Mr. S. BURDEKIN, Mayor of Sydney, said the matter of tramways in general had been discussed by the City Corporation with a view of not raising any objection to the projects, but that as the corporation had made the roads, they should have some consideration for the roads being broken up. The City Council wanted to take no objection to the line of tramways proposed. The general view of the council, he thought, was that the corporation should get a percentage on the earnings, say 10 per cent. The roads had been made and were maintained at the citizens' expense, and the corporation thought they should get some return from the Government for the use of the roads. They did not expect to keep that part of the street where the line was. The City Council had gone to great expense in wood-blocking, and the streets were maintained at the council's expense. He would rather see the £25,000 endowment continued than have any compensation. The tramway would be a great advantage indeed. If there was to be a line from west to east the one proposed would meet the convenience of business men. If the system of cable tramways was at once introduced he thought there would soon be a complete system throughout the city. The line to be followed should be the line of the traffic. For nine out of every ten people travelling, this line would suit them. Although it was said that King-street was very narrow, a system of cable tramways would do away with the omnibuses. King-street was the most convenient spot to set down passengers for the various wharves; there would be a little crowding. It would only be a very short time when the whole of the city would be covered by a network of cable tramways. It would not do to try and divert the traffic from its natural course. Bayswater-road was very narrow, and it could not be widened, but two trams would not be passing at one time, so that the whole of the roadway would not be blocked. The public convenience must be considered. It would be better to have the two lines in one street, and not run one line down Bayswater-road and another up Upper William-street. It would be advisable to get rid of the omnibus traffic in William-street. He could not say whether the traffic would be diverted from the Darlinghurst line. He saw no objection to the steepness of William-street and Upper William-street. In Bayswater-road it might be possible to resume a few feet of land as there were no buildings immediately on the street. This would be expensive. The corporation had no objection to the line; in fact, they favoured it. The corporation would not be prepared to share in any losses that would be made on other tram lines. The council got no return for allowing omnibuses and cabs to run on the roads. When the tramline was constructed the streets would remain open as usual, the Government only having control over a portion of the road. The trams would not interfere with the shopkeepers getting their goods into their premises. The companies which had asked to be allowed to construct lines in the city had offered to give them a per centage on the earnings. The corporation had had two offers before them. One was now before them, it was from the Sydney Omnibus Company, who guaranteed to pay the corporation the balance of the earnings after the working expenses had been paid and 10 per cent. deducted. The permanent way was to be handed over after 30 years, and the stock could then be taken at a valuation. The Omnibus Company proposed what was known as the cable system. The council had received an offer of £30,000 a year for the right to run tramways through the city and suburbs. The line would be one of the best paying that could be constructed.

Mr. R. W. RICHARDS, city surveyor, said he thought a double line of rails could be constructed along the route except in Bayswater-road. He anticipated a difficulty in regard to a double line in William-street, as there would have to be an alteration of the kerb, and this might interfere with the entrance to private property. He went to Melbourne on behalf of the corporation to report on the system of cable tramways there. He had reported, and his report was printed. In King-street, after the line was constructed, there would be a carriage-way left of 9½ft. on either side of the lines. The fact of having many curves meant extra expense in maintenance, and greater motive power would be required. While the line was being constructed there would be an interruption of traffic in the street. In no case there should be a width of carriage-way of 32ft., and that would leave 8ft. on each side of the cars. In Oxford-street there was about 11ft. 6in. on either side of the tramway outside the cars. He had never heard of any inconvenience arising from carts being unable to load in front of business premises on tramway routes. He understood that the Melbourne tramways were a good paying concern, but he was led to believe that the penny sections were a failure financially. Tramways running along King-street, Pitt-street, George-street, and other streets, would cause serious inconvenience to vehicular traffic until the people used themselves to the system, and took another route. The proposed line would be a very desirable one as part of a system. If tramways were run through all the busy thoroughfares it would be necessary to regulate the vehicular traffic.

The committee adjourned at 4 o'clock.

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NEXT SATURDAY, MARCH 29, on the GROUND, about one mile from the Railway Station, Rooty-hill. FREE TRAIN TICKETS to Intending Buyers. Blocks of Vineyard and Orchard Land, 4s. to 10s. each. Lithos and Tickets at the Auctioneers, MILLS, PILE, and WILSON, 130 Pitt-street.

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VINEYARD (just planted), 44 acres, HOUSE, 3 rooms; land fenced and planted with corn, 4 miles from Penrith; price £350. Terms: £6 16s 8d deposit, balance £6 16s 8d monthly; no interest. Free passes to inspect.
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Auction Sales.

SPECIAL SALE OF HORSES AND VEHICLES.
BROWN BROS. and CO. will hold special sales of Horses and Vehicles at their City Horse and Cattle Bazaar on each TUESDAY and THURSDAY (commencing at 12 o'clock sharp) every week. Parties having lots to offer will please forward particulars early.

TO HEADS OF FAMILIES AND DAIRYMEN.
REGULAR WEEKLY DAIRY COW SALE.
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26th INST.
BROWN BROS. and CO. beg to notify they have a large number of Dairy Cows from the Hunter River and South Coast district coming in for Sale at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 11.30 a.m.
Heads of families, dairymen, and others should not miss this sale.

SPLENDID PURE ALDERNEY COW, in FULL MILK.
BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, (Wednesday), at 11.30 o'clock.
A splendid pure Alderney cow, newly calved, with calf at foot, a very heavy and quiet milker.

THREE SUPERIOR DAIRY COWS, IN FULL MILK.
BROWN BROS. and CO. have received instructions from Mr. G. SMITH, George's River, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Three superior dairy cows, newly calved, suit private families or dairymen.

EXHIBITION STOCK SALES.
W. GARLING intends holding SALES of Exhibition STOCK, on the grounds, Moore Park, during show week, and will be glad to have particulars from his constituents of any they may wish to offer.
W. M. N. GARLING, Auctioneer, Fennelly's Bazaar, Pitt-street.

TROTTING STOCK from the HOBARTVILLE STUD.
To be SOLD at FENNELLY'S BAZAAR, on WEDNESDAY, 9th APRIL, at half-past 10.
W. GARLING (in conjunction with Brown Bros. and Co.) will sell by auction, at Fennelly's Bazaar, on WEDNESDAY, 9th April at half-past 10,
HONESTY, American champion trotting stallion of the colonies, and
18 MARES, including imported and colonial bred, full particulars of which will appear in future issues and in catalogues, to be had at office of auctioneer.

HORSES, HORSES, HORSES.
At Camperdown, on WEDNESDAY, 26th instant.
HILL, CLARK, and CO. have received instructions from A. H. Cooper, Esq., to sell by auction, at Camperdown, THIS DAY, at 2.30,
22 head horses, all in first-class order and condition.
The above comprise light harness and saddle horses, and we learn from the owner that there are several splendid hacks amongst them, which we can thoroughly recommend to any one on the look-out for a really good horse.

INGLIS and SON'S HORSE BAZAAR.
THIS DAY, at half-past 10 a.m. sharp.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, the following:—
At half-past 10 o'clock,
Vans, springcarts, horses, and harness
Draught horses, tipdrays, and harness.
At 12 o'clock,
Superior draught mares and geldings
Well-bred saddle and harness horses
Van, 'bus, and saddle horses.

BLACK DRAUGHT GELDING.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. J. FRANK to sell by auction, at their BAZAAR, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Black heavy draught gelding, 4 years, subject to trial in sand.

6 ACTIVE DRAUGHT HORSES.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. THOS. GEDDES and CO. to sell by auction, at their BAZAAR, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
6 active draught horses, in hard-feed condition
Also, lorry and harness.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS, THIS DAY.
55 SUPERIOR NORTHERN-DISTRICT HORSES.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. T. and W. D. MOXHAM to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, at half-past 2 o'clock,
55 superior northern-district horses, consisting of
20 heavy draught colts and fillies, 4 and 5 years old
35 really first-class well-bred horses, with substance.
THE ABOVE ARE DESCRIBED AS BEING A SPLENDID LOT, THE MESSRS. MOXHAM STATING THE DRAUGHT PORTION ARE THE BEST THEY HAVE HAD IN THE MARKET THIS YEAR.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS, THIS DAY.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. WILLIAM LENNOX, of Mudgee, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, at half-past 2 o'clock,
15 really first-class horses, broken and unbroken, consisting of heavy draught and superior light horses.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS, THIS DAY.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. SUFFIER and STEPHENSON to sell by auction, at the CAMPERDOWN YARDS THIS DAY, March 26, at 2.30 p.m.,
30 HORSES.

FIRST-CLASS MILCH COWS.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. S. M'Minn to sell by auction, at their Sale Yards, 827 George-street, TO-MORROW, Thursday, March 27, at 11 o'clock sharp,
3 splendid first-class, quiet, well-bred milch cows, with calves at foot, giving 18 quarts milk each daily.

NEW DOUBLE-SEAT BUGGY.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their BAZAAR, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
New double-seat buggy, with lamps.

TO DAIRY PROPRIETORS AND PRIVATE BUYERS.
WEEKLY MILCH COW SALE.
INGLIS'S RAILWAY SALEYARDS, 827 GEORGE-STREET.
ON THURSDAYS.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Railway Saleyards, 827 George-street, TO-MORROW, Thursday, March 27, at half-past 10 o'clock,
15 first-class milch cows, account S. M'Minn, Esq.
15 ditto ditto, account D. Buffiere, Esq.
15 ditto ditto, account Messrs. Macintosh Bros.
15 ditto ditto, account Thomas Briggs, Esq.
15 ditto ditto, account various owners.
The above are all in full milk, with young calves at foot, and have been selected for the Sydney market from the best dairies in the Southern and Hunter districts.

BUTCHERS. BUTCHERS. BUTCHERS.
WEEKLY STOCK SALE.
INGLIS'S RAILWAY SALEYARDS, 827 GEORGE-STREET,
ON THURSDAY.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Saleyards, 827 George-street, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, March 27, at half-past 1 o'clock,
80 extra prime fat calves, per rail from Goulburn
25 ditto from Mittagong
15 ditto from Rooty Hill
60 prime fat pigs, from Bowral and Moss Vale
100 ditto, from Camden, Picton, and Burragorang
45 ditto from the Hunter River
30 ditto, suburban lots
50 first-class store pigs.
At half-past 3 o'clock,
25 prime paddock-fed fat cattle
30 first-class dry cattle.

EXHIBITION STOCK SALES.
EMANUEL and CO. intend holding Sales of Exhibition Stock during Show Week on the Agricultural Society's Grounds, Moore Park, and will be pleased to receive particulars from friends of any they propose to offer, so that they may appear in the catalogue.

EMANUEL and CO., Auctioneers, Horse and Cattle Salesmen, have for SALE, at their Yards, 163 Castlereagh street, and the City Stables, 97 Castlereagh-street,
Lady's reversible Victoria phaeton
Victorias and barouches
Single and double buggies
Hawkers' tilted waggons
Village carts and longshaft sulkies
Stylish hacks and cab horses
Buggy pairs and carriage pairs.

HORSES, VEHICLES, and HARNESS.
GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
All lots not specially advertised.
And at 12 o'clock,
All lots specially advertised.
Regular Sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown or elsewhere any afternoon.
LIVERY.—In this department charges moderate and best of forage.

RACING PONY MARRYAT.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
Marryat, chestnut mare, 4 years, by Secundus.

RACING PONY SUNBEAM.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Sunbeam, bay pony, 3 years, 14.1. Pedigree and particulars at sale.

PAIR CARRIAGE HORSES.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
Pair bay carriage horses, 16.1, broken to double harness, good match, run well together, and any reasonable trial.

PAIR BROWN PONIES.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
Pair brown geldings, 14.2, broken to saddle, single and double harness, free goers, good match, stand tram, and run well together.

CHESTNUT MARE, BUGGY, and HARNESS.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
Chestnut mare, by Rockwood, by Lord Lyon (imp.), broken to saddle and harness, stand tram
Single-seat hooded buggy and harness.

SADDLE and HARNESS HORSE.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. G. Franklin to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Brown gelding, 16.1, broken to saddle, single and double harness.

HORSE, WAREHOUSE CART, and HARNESS.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. J. F. Smith to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
Chestnut gelding, 5 years, 16 hands, broken to saddle and harness; any fair trial
Merchant's van (nearly new) and set of harness.

CHESTNUT GELDING
BROWN PONY.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
Chestnut gelding, 4 years, by John Bull, dam Cobweb by Fireworks
Brown pony Billy (late Ditto), good performer.
To be sold without reserve.

7 SOUTH-COUNTRY HORSES.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from J. Stewart, Esq., to sell by auction at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
7 fresh country horses, fit for any kind of saddle and harness work.

SADDLE and HARNESS HORSE.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by Auction at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock,
Bay gelding, 5 years, broken to saddle and harness, quiet to trams, a lady can drive him, any trial in gig, cab, or buggy.

HOODED PARK PHAETON, HORSE, AND HARNESS.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from T. F. Mackenzie, Esq., Parramatta, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, TO-MORROW, Thursday, at 12 o'clock,
The above one of the neatest turnouts in the city.

A. J. C. AUTUMN MEETING.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from the Secretary A. J. Club to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt and Castlereagh streets, on MONDAY, 31st March, at 12 o'clock,
The right to the entrance gate, St. Leger Reserve, booths, &c. for above meeting, to be held at Randwick on 5th, 7th, 10th, and 12th April.

ALEX. WILSON and CO. will sell by auction, at Homebush, on THURSDAY Next, the 27th instant,
150 prime fat sheep, for Messrs. Campbell Bros. and Co., Urawilkie.

BRUNKER and WOLFE will sell by auction, at the Homebush Stock Sale Yards, on THURSDAY, 27th instant, as per order of sale,
40 prime fat cattle, for Northern Agents.

600 STORE BULLOCKS, 3 to 5 years
200 Ditto STEERS
50 Ditto COWS and HEIFERS.
AT THE MUDGEE SALEYARDS.
CROSSING and COX have received instructions from W. SMITH, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Mudgee Saleyards, on THURSDAY, April 10, at 11 o'clock.
The above good lot of stores in lots to suit purchasers, and without the slightest reserve.
TERMS AT SALE.

TRADE NOTICE.
G. MAIDEN (for GOLDSBROUGH, MORT, and CO., Limited) will sell by auction at Homebush, on THURSDAY, the 27th instant, at 10 o'clock,
100 prime fat sheep, for C. W. Evans, Esq., Myalla.

GRIFFITHS and WEAVER have received instructions to sell by auction, at Homebush, on THURSDAY next, 27th instant,
2000 prime fat wethers, on account of J. L. Brown, Esq., Tondeburine
600 prime fat wethers, on account of Messrs. Salting, Bros., Cunningham Plains
200 prime fat wethers, on account Messrs. Danger and Macdonald Bros., Wantabadgery
100 prime lambs on account Walter Douglas, Esq., Inveralochy.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited (through their Auctioneer, THOMAS DRANSFIELD), will sell by public auction, at the Homebush saleyards, on THURSDAY, 27th instant, at the usual hours,
300 prime fat sheep, W. Bootes, Esq., Gundagai
200 ditto ditto, E. Brown, Esq., Binalong
100 ditto ditto, J. C. Casburn, Esq., Marulan.

HOMEBUSH FAT STOCK SALES.
THURSDAY, March 27, 1890.
HILL, CLARK, and CO. will sell by auction, as above,
201 prime fat cattle, for E. Maidens, Esq., The Gwydir
156 ditto ditto ditto, for R. Skuthorpe, Esq., Gulargambone
100 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Hooper and Barnett, Merriwa station
50 ditto ditto ditto, for George Palmer, Esq., The M'Quarrie
1000 prime fat sheep, for Messrs. J. and F. Gordon, Curraburrama
500 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Cobb and Co., Hereford
300 ditto ditto ditto, for James Boxsell, Esq., Wallendbeen
200 ditto ditto ditto, for G. E. Welford, Esq., Tarana
300 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Parker Brothers, Teesdale Park.

FAT AND STORE PIGS.
JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. will sell by auction at the Corporation Yards, Sussex-street, THIS DAY, Wednesday,
200 mixed fat and store pigs, for E. H. Litchfield, Esq., Woodstock
20 ditto ditto ditto, for J. M. Hassall, Esq., Wambrook.

FAT STOCK FOR THURSDAY'S SALE.
JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. will sell by auction, at Homebush, TO-MORROW, Thursday, the 27th instant,
100 prime fat cattle, for Messrs. Armytage and Powell, Thergomindah
60 ditto ditto ditto, for Thos. Keenan, Esq., Amaroo
20 ditto ditto ditto, for Western agents, by rail
900 ditto ditto sheep, for Thos. Keenan, Esq., Amaroo
600 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. Browne Bros., Pullaming
500 ditto ditto ditto, for Messrs. W. H. Suttor and Co., Warrangong
290 ditto ditto ditto, for W. F. Buchanan, Esq., Killarney
100 ditto ditto ditto, for D. Kennedy, Esq., Wellington.

SECOND ANNUAL SALE OF STUD SHEEP.
Bathurst, 18th April, 1890.
The Second Annual Stud Sheep Sale will be held at Bathurst, APRIL 18, 1890, when Stud and Flock Rams and Ewes will be offered from the following well known flocks:—
E. K. GRACE, Esq., Gunningbland
J. LITCHFIELD, Esq., Hazeldean
Messrs. G. and H. SUTTOR, Brucedale
Hon. F. B. SUTTOR, Bathurst
W. KITE, Esq., Kelso
G. H. F. COX, Esq., Putta Bucca
Executors T. S. WEBB, Springfield
E. C. COUSENS, Esq., Beri
C. M'PHELLAMY, Esq., Orton Park
Messrs. COX BROS., Rawdon
H. R. F. HUME, Esq., Everton
JAS. LEE, Esq., Larras Lake
Auctioneers,
JOSEPH LEEDS and CO.
CLEMENTS and M'CARTHY.

METROPOLITAN Meat Market, Hay-st., auction sale, This Day, at 12, Beef, mutton, pigs. H. M'Namara.

FAT CALVES and FAT PIGS.
PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Corporation Sale Yards, Sydney, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock and 11 o'clock respectively,
One truck of prime fat calves by rail
One truck of prime fat pigs, by rail.

FAT CATTLE and SHEEP.
HOMEBUSH, THURSDAY NEXT, at 10 o'clock.
PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Limited, will sell by auction as above,
70 prime fat cattle for Messrs. E. and A. Bowman, Skellater
65 prime fat cattle for the A. A. Company, Warrah
30 ditto, ditto, ditto Hunter agents
30 ditto, ditto, ditto Northern agents
20 ditto, ditto, ditto Mr. G. Loder, Abbey Green
20 ditto, ditto, ditto Northern agents
20 ditto, ditto, ditto Mrs. Onslow, Camden Park
20 ditto, ditto, ditto Messrs. H. and J. Oxley, Wingecarribbee
2200 prime fat sheep for Executors late Sir G. W. Allen, Toronbone
600 prime fat sheep for Mr. J. Kennedy, Turee
600 ditto, ditto, ditto, Mr. M. Shanley, Cooma.
300 prime fat sheep and lambs for Mr. Hy. Fitness, Moombah
300 prime fat sheep for Mr. M. Drummond, Bookham
200 prime fat sheep for Mr. Smith, Michelago
200 ditto ditto, ditto Mr. George Loder, Abbey Green
100 prime fat sheep for Mr. Hardy, Queanbeyan
120 prime fat lambs for Mr. J. O'Neill, Quirindi
120 ditto, ditto, ditto Mr. W. Webb, Kinstone
120 ditto, ditto, ditto Mr. P. H. Clifford, Rose Valley.

THE AUSTRALASIAN AGRICULTURAL COMPANY'S ANNUAL CAST OF RAMS.
PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Limited, have received instructions from the General Manager for the A. A. Company to offer at auction, at WARRAH, about the end of APRIL next,
The whole of this station's sale rams.
Due notice will be given when date is fixed.

TRADE NOTICE.
WARDEN HARRY GRAVES will sell through the Homebush Yards, on THURSDAY Next, at usual hours,
1600 prime fat sheep for J. B. Peacock, Esq., by rail
1400 prime fat sheep for A. J. Hall, Esq., by rail
400 prime fat sheep for F. C. Fenwicke, Esq., by rail
400 prime fat sheep for H. C. Taylor, Esq., by rail
300 prime fat sheep for Western agents, by rail.

WILKINSON, LAVENDER, and CHAPMAN will sell at the Municipal Yards, Homebush, on THURSDAY, 27th instant, at usual hours.
500 fat sheep, for J. H. Spiller, Esq., per rail
220 ditto ditto, for A. J. Ashcroft, Esq., per rail.
And
220 ditto ditto for E. G. Ashcroft, Esq., per rail.

THIS DAY, at 3 p.m.
HUDDART, PARKER, and CO., Limited, will sell by auction, at their STORES and WHARF, foot of Margaret-street, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26, at 3 p.m.,
900 CASES of ASSORTED TASMANIAN FRUIT, as under:—
208 cases Ripstone apples
16 ditto Ripstone ditto, small
390 ditto Codlin ditto
44 ditto Dragon ditto
33 ditto Adam's pears
25 ditto Blenheim orange apples
180 ditto assorted ditto.

TASMANIAN and OTHER FRUITS.
SCOTT BROS. will sell by auction, at their Stores, Clarence-st., THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, 200 cases Tasmanian fruits, ex Oonah; 100 cases local fruits.

THIS DAY, 26th MARCH, AT THE CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.
On account of whom it may concern.
Cases Stained
86 cases ha f SARDINES.
Juan Goday.
FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, the above.

THIS DAY, 26th MARCH, AT THE CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.
On account of whom it may concern.
Ex Riverina.
E in diamond—33 cases English SOAP.
FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, the above.

THIS DAY, 26th MARCH.
AT THE CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.
On Account of Whom it may Concern.
Ex Riverina.
1 Sir Wm. Thompson's COMPASS, with Stand
1 COMPASS, with Stand
1 spare COMPASS, with stand
6 LAMPS
1 Box STOCKS and DIES
1 Box TOOLS
1 CHRONOMETER
Set of CHARTS, and 2 BELLS and 10 LAMPS
FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, the above.

Terms, Cash.
THIS DAY, 26th MARCH.
AT THE CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.
By order of Messrs. Boyle and Co.
160 Cases Stephens and Sons' Round Assorted PICKLES
40 ditto ditto ditto ditto PICCALILLI
40 ditto ditto Hexagon Assorted PICKLES
50 ditto ditto ½ Bottles Worcestershire SAUCE
10 ditto ditto ½ Bottles ditto ditto
10 ditto ditto ½ Bottles Assorted ditto
30 Casks VINEGAR.
FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, the above.

ON THE PREMISES, BEN BOYD-ROAD, NORTH SHORE.
THIS DAY, 26th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
Pagnel Cart, Bay Pony, and Harness.
Mahogany Office Desk, with Drawers.
CLARKE and M'INTYRE have received instructions from the owner (who is leaving the colony) to sell as above, WITHOUT RESERVE.
The premises are situated close to the Oaks Hotel and Brickworks, Military-road.

THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 11 o'clock.
At the Rooms, 280 Pitt-street.
Well-assorted Stock of Men's, Women's, and Children's Boots, Shoes, Slippers, Boot Stands, Boot Polish, &c. Also, Stock of new and second-hand Clothing, comprising Dresses, Dresspieces, Underclothing, Bed-clothing, &c.
DUNN and WEBB will sell by auction, as above.

THURSDAY, MARCH 27th, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
GRAND DISPLAY and Important Unreserved Sale by Auction of HIGH-CLASS PIANOFORTES.
THESE MAGNIFICENT INSTRUMENTS are made with extremely solid cases in WALNUT, WALNUT and GOLD, and EBONITE and GOLD, with elaborately-chased single and double Brass Sconces, from the renowned factories of those well-known makers, STOLLE, of Dresden.
&c., &c., &c.
EBONITE PIANOFORTE by Collard and Collard (nearly new).
Also, AMERICAN ORGANS.
To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Pianoforte Warehousemen, Shippers, &c., &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions from the IMPORTERS to sell the above SUPERIOR PIANOFORTES BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT STREET, on THURSDAY NEXT, 27th March, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 26th MARCH, at 11 a.m.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
Under instructions from the Importers.
100 cases ASSORTED PAINTS
60 ditto EMPIRE AXES, 4½ to 6 lb.
40 ditto AXE HANDLES
20 ditto PICK HANDLES
50 dozen AMERICAN BUCKETS
10 cases SANDPAPER
3 ditto galvanised CORRUGATED IRON, A.F.
20 ditto iron BEDSTEADS, assorted
15 ditto LAMPWARE
10 ditto BOTTLING WIRE
200 Tantity AXLE-GREASE
70 drums Johnston's Elephant Brand CEMENT
90 ditto 1. RESIN
100 barrels GERMAN CEMENT
108 drums CAUSTIC SODA, 70-72 per cent.
10 cases HUNTER'S HATCHETS
30 Ice Chests, "Non-pareil" and "American Prize"
1 crate WOOD SCOOPS
10 sets African WHEELS
1 Cape TRANSPORT WAGGON
&c., &c., &c.
To Ironmongers, Hardware Dealers, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 26th MARCH, at 11 a.m.
TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 26th MARCH, at 11 a.m.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
Ex Lochee from London.
24 Cases GENERAL IRONMONGERY, consisting of
Black and Galvanised IRON RIVETS, Galvanised Washers
Lamp Iron Squares, Cast Iron Finials
Fire Doors, Pipes, Lobster Back Cowels, Buckets
Fencing Staples, Belt Fittings
GALVANISED PIPE FITTINGS, consisting of Tees, Elbows, Crosses, Nuts, Bends, Sockets, Plugs, &c.; Deck Lights, Patent Closet Pans, Pocket Cutlery, Miners' Shovels, Meat Cutters, Brushware, Scissors, Razors, Butchers' Knives, Carvers
&c., &c., &c.
To Ironmongers, Hardware Dealers, Storekeepers, Shippers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION, at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 26th MARCH, at 11 a.m.
TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, 26th MARCH, at 11 a.m.
ATTRACTIVE and UNIQUE SALE BY AUCTION.
On the Premises, GRASMERE, No. 18 ROCKWALL-STREET, POTTS POINT.
Under instructions from C. H. LEWISSON, Esq.
The whole of his MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, BEAUTIFUL APPOINTMENTS, &c., &c., &c.
Prominent among the varied lots to be offered at this sale is a MAGNIFICENT UPRIGHT IRON GRAND PIANOFORTE of perfect finish, in massive ebonite and gilt frame, by the celebrated pianoforte manufacturers, Messrs. Jno. Brinsmead and Sons, of London.
*** The Auctioneers have much pleasure in recommending this instrument to the notice of Connoisseurs and Musicians.
SPLENDID EBONITE DRAWING-ROOM CABINETS.
BEAUTIFUL DRAWING-ROOM SUITE in ebonite frames, splendidly carved, and tastefully covered with figured silk tapestry and peacock blue plush.
RARE AND COSTLY SPECIMENS OF DRESDEN PORCELAIN.
WALNUT CARD TABLES.
HANDSOME OVERMANTELS.
Chippendale wall brackets, Bric-a-brac.
CHOICE OIL PAINTINGS.
COSTLY ENGRAVINGS—"The Widower" (artist's proof), a copy of the celebrated picture in the New South Wales Art Gallery; "The Lawn at Flemington on Melbourne Cup Day," after the well-known picture of Herr Kahler; "The Famous Game of the Bowls at Plymouth Hoe," and others
Tapestry and Lace Curtains, Brussels Carpets
Choice Bric-a-Brac.
MASSIVE WALNUT DINING SUITE, consisting of SPLENDID SIDEBOARD, with mirrored centre and side, cupboard back, canopy top, carved panelled doors, fitted with cellarets, drawers, plate cupboard, &c.
TELESCOPE EXTENSION DINING-TABLE, Patent Screw, four spare leaves, twelve feet.
THREE TIER DINNER WAGGON, with two drawers and
UPHOLSTERED SUITE of Couch, Lady's and Gent.'s Chairs and Six Chairs, upholstered in maroon morocco.
VERY HANDSOME WALNUT OVERMANTEL.
STERLING SILVER, CHOICE ELECTROPLATED WARE,
SPLENDID CHINA, HEAVILY CUT GLASSWARE, HANDSOME HAND-PAINTED DESSERT SERVICE, CUTLERY, &c.
Five Light Gaseliers of unique designs, in brass and steel, with engraved crystal globes.
ELEGANT and MASSIVE MARBLE DINING-ROOM CLOCK.
MASSIVE HALL SUITE IN OAK
Stair Carpet and Rods Hall Lamp
HALF-TESTER BEDSTEADS, in Black and Brass, with extending foot rails, tubular posts
MAGNIFICENT BEDROOM SUITES, comprising
WARDROBES, with bevelled mirrored and carved panelled doors, fitted with trays, drawers, and hangers; PAIRS TOILETS, with marble-top and tiled back washstands; TOWEL RAILS, PEDESTAL CUPBOARDS and CANE-SEATED BEDROOM CHAIRS in
CHOICE WALNUT, WALNUT and ASH, and ASH.
Toilet Requisites Toilet Ware
Shaving Stands.
MASSIVE MAHOGANY WARDROBE, with mirrored centre door, carved panels, &c.
Chests of Drawers. Washstands.
House and Table Linen. Bedding.
HOT WATER HEATER, Kitchen and Laundry Requisites, &c., &c., &c.
To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Collectors, Art Connoisseurs, and the public generally.
HARRIS and ACKMAN have been favoured with instructions from C. H. LEWISSON, Esq., to HOLD the above IMPORTANT SALE by AUCTION on the premises, "GRASMERE," 18 ROCKWALL-STREET, POTTS POINT, THIS DAY, 26th MARCH, at 11 a.m.
CATALOGUES are obtainable at the offices of the AUCTIONEERS, 199 PITT-STREET.
TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 27th MARCH, at 11 a.m.
EXTENSIVE RUMMAGE SALE BY AUCTION.
Under instructions from the Importers prior to Stocktaking.
This Clearance Sale comprises
GLASSWARE, Crockery, Furniture, Chairs, Lampware, Fancy Goods, Vases, Ornaments, Scarborough and Saratoga Trunks, Law and Music Books, Pictures, Toys, Cabinetware, Hardware, Ironmongery, Perambulators, Buggy Hoods, &c., &c., &c.
To Ironmongers, Glass and China Warehousemen, Dealers, Storekeepers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will HOLD the above EXTENSIVE SALE BY AUCTION at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY next, 27th MARCH, at 11 a.m.
TERMS AT SALE.

THURSDAY, 27th MARCH, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION of OILPAINTINGS, OLEOGRAPHS, CHROMOGRAPHS, ENGRAVINGS, &c., comprising
Domestic Scenes, Marine views, Farmyard Scenes, Mountain Scenery, Flowers and Fruits, &c., &c., &c.
To Picture Dealers, Furniture Warehousemen, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the above BY AUCTION at the NEW AUCTION MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY Next, 27th MARCH, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 26th MARCH, at 11 a.m.
5 and 7 Regent-street, Paddington.
STOCK and TOOLS of TRADE of a COACHBUILDER and GENERAL BLACKSMITH, consisting of
Bellows, Anvil, Drilling-Machine, Vices
Paint-mill, Benches, Trestles, and Tools, &c.
Also,
A SPRING CART and BUGGY.
Also,
On account of whom it may concern,
A VILLAGE CART, made to order, ash framing and cedar panels, trimmed in Blue Cloth.
MORRIS MENSER has been instructed to offer the above lucrative business
AS A GOING CONCERN, IN ONE LOT.
Should the Auctioneer be unable to dispose of it in this manner, he will offer it in lots to suit purchasers.

THOS. JESSEP, Auctioneer, will sell by auction,
TO-DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 26th instant, at 11 a.m.,
at the New Market-buildings, corner of Sussex and Market streets, Sydney,
600 cases assorted prime Tasmanian FRUITS, in lots to suit purchasers.
Terms, Cash.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.
On the Premises,
CENTRAL ARCADE, 345 GEORGE-STREET.
THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26th, at 11 o'clock sharp.
To Wholesale and Retail Fancy Goods Warehousemen, Cutlery Buyers, Country Storekeepers, Dealers, and others.
IMPORTANT and ABSOLUTE SALE, on the Premises
CENTRAL ARCADE, 345 GEORGE-STREET.
THE WHOLE OF THE STOCK-IN-TRADE SHOP FIXTURES, FITTINGS, COUNTERS, SHOW-CASES, FIREPROOF SAFE, &c., &c., in
THE BUSINESS lately carried on by Mr. NATHAN HART, General Storekeeper,
CENTRAL ARCADE, 345 GEORGE-STREET, comprising—
E.P. Ware
Table and Pocket Cutlery, Purses, Pocket-books
Hall-marked Silver-mounted Pipes
Briar and Meerschaum Pipes, Accordeons
Silver and Gold Brooches, Silver Watches
Gold Scarf Pins, &c.
Nickel and Wooden Clocks, Perfumery
Oil-paintings and Oleographs
Tobacco and Cigars, Cigar Cases
Large Iron Fireproof Safe, by Phillips and Son
Glass Show Cases, Cedar Fixtures
Counters, Scales
&c., &c., &c.
DAVIS, MARKS, and CO. (successors to CHAS. MOORE and CO.) have received POSITIVE INSTRUCTIONS from Mr. Nathan Hart to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Premises, 345 George-street, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 11 o'clock sharp,
THE WHOLE OF HIS VALUABLE STOCK of FANCY GOODS, SHOP FITTINGS, FIXTURES, &c., &c.

TOTALLY UNRESERVED.
PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, MARCH 27th, AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.
HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE and IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION, at
No. 4, GLADSTONE TERRACE, DOWLING-STREET, MOORE PARK (near the Residence of J. D. Young, Esq.),
THE RESIDENCE of NATHAN HART, Esq.,
OF THE WHOLE OF HIS ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
663oz. H. M. STERLING SILVER WARE
E. P. WARE of the finest quality
VALUABLE OIL PAINTINGS and ORNAMENTS, &c., &c., &c.
DAVIS, MARKS, and CO. (successors to CHAS. MOORE AND CO.), 123 Pitt-street, have received POSITIVE INSTRUCTIONS from NATHAN HART, Esq., to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, MARCH 27th, at 11 o'clock sharp, on the premises, No. 4, Gladstone terrace, Moore Park,
The WHOLE OF HIS VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, H. M. SILVER and E. P. WARE, &c., &c., &c.
*** Full particulars in TO-MORROW'S HERALD.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 11 o'clock.
TO PARTIES FURNISHING, DEALERS, &c.
ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, The Labour Bazaar, Pitt-street,
A LARGE QUANTITY of SUPERIOR ENGLISH and COLONIAL MANUFACTURED FURNITURE, &c., &c.
Brilliant-toned pianoforte, by Aucher Brothers, upright grand, full compass, trichord, iron frame; one ditto, by Stolle, of Dresden
Pianoforte, by Kirkman, in rosewood case, a very nice instrument
Drawing-room suites, couches chairs, sideboards, chiffoniers
6 pier glasses and overmantels, oil paintings, engravings
12 Brussels and tapestry carpets, cocoa-fibre matting (120 yards)
Telescopic, loo, and occasional tables
Brass-mounted bedsteads and bedding, wardrobes, duchess toilet pairs, washstands, toilet tables and glasses, dressers, safes, cooking utensils
LOT SUNDRIES, &c., &c.

THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock sharp.
JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274 Pitt-street,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising drawing-room suites, pier glasses, sideboards, Duchess toilets, washstands and ware, wardrobes, chests of drawers, toilet tables and glasses, kitch. and dining tables, glassware, crockery, kit. utensils, sundries.

THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274 Pitt-street, the unredeemed clothing pledged with Mr. J. Bloom, of Bathurst and Castlereagh streets, comprising Clothing, opossum rugs, sealskin jacket, boots, blankets, &c.

THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock.
JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 274 Pitt-street, The unredeemed sundries and jewellery pledged with Mr. L. Samuels, of Oxford-street, Paddington, at 2 o'clock, Sundries, consisting of revolvers, field and opera glasses, musical and mathematical instruments, tools, books, &c. At 3 o'clock, Jewellery, comprising gold and silver watches, gold alberts, chains, necklets, lockets, diamond, signet, and wedding rings, brooches and earrings, &c.

TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 27th MARCH, at 11 a.m.
To LADIES and GENTLEMEN requiring first-class HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS.
MOST IMPORTANT and ATTRACTIVE SALE, by UNRESERVED AUCTION, at the residence of Mrs. A. E. CLIVE,
Kanimbla, Fitzroy-street, St. Leonards East, on account of her leaving for Europe per R.M.S. BRITANNIA, of the whole of her
MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
FULL PARTICULARS of which appeared in Saturday's issue.
WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have been favoured with instructions from Mrs. A. E. CLIVE to sell by auction, at her residence, Fitzroy-street, St. Leonards East,
The whole of her elegant furniture and effects, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 27th MARCH, at 11 a.m.
CATALOGUES at the OFFICES of the AUCTIONEERS, 322 GEORGE-STREET (opposite Peapes and Shaw).
ON VIEW THIS DAY, from 10 to 4.
TERMS, CASH.

FRIDAY, 28th MARCH, at 11 a.m.
UNRESERVED SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at the RESIDENCE of W. J. WALKER, Esq., RUNNYMEDE, GROSVENOR-STREET, CROYDON, within 5 minutes' walk from Croydon station, in consequence of his leaving the colony, of
THE WHOLE OF HIS SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising
Glass, China, and E.P. Ware
AUSTRIAN DINING-ROOM FURNITURE
DINING TABLE
ENCLOSED DINNER WAGGON
BOOKCASES
BRUSSELS CARPETS of the best quality
Splendid SPANISH MAHOGANY DINING-ROOM COUCH, covered in Morocco
ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE, including splendid UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE, DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, and OCCASIONAL FOLDING CHAIRS in Silk Plush
GIPSY TABLES and OCCASIONAL TABLES
HALL FURNITURE
BEDROOMS FURNITURE, comprising MAHOGANY WARDROBES with Plate-glass Doors, MAHOGANY TOILETS and SETS
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS, in good order and all the usual Requisites of a FIRST-CLASS HOUSE.
WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have been favoured with instructions from W. J. WALKER, Esq., to sell the whole of his ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, at his residence, Runnymede, Grosvenor-street, CROYDON, on FRIDAY, 28th MARCH, at 11 a.m.
Terms, Cash.
CATALOGUES at the AUCTIONEER'S OFFICES, 322 George-street.

To BUILDERS, SPECULATORS, CONSERVATORIES, PHOTOGRAPHERS, and OTHERS.
LENEHAN and CO. will sell by auction, on the premises, corner of Bathurst and Sussex streets, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, at 11 o'clock,
Very superior building materials, consisting of cedar doors, joists, rafters, 15-ft. balcony iron, a large quantity of glazed sashes, office partitions, mortising machine, derrick, ropes, pulleys, counters, shelving, galvanised iron, water-pipes, half-glass doors, 400 gallon tanks with taps, lining, &c.
The above are in first-class order, and well worth inspection.
Also,
Assorted saddlery, harness, leading and dray traces, hames, &c., newly imported.

THURSDAY, 27th MARCH, 1890, at 11 a.m.
UNDER BILL OF SALE.
At the Rooms.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
W. HAMILTON and CO. (J. G. M'Elveney) will sell BY AUCTION at THEIR ROOMS, the Globe Auction Rooms, 523½ George-street, Brickfield-hill, the above, on THURSDAY, the 27th March next, at 11 a.m.
No Reserve. Terms, Cash.

W. HAMILTON and CO. (J. G. M'ELVENEY), AUCTIONEERS, VALUATORS, &c., THE GLOBE AUCTION ROOMS, 523½ GEORGE-STREET, BRICKFIELD-HILL, give special attention to valuations and OUTDOOR SALES, and are prepared to act for Landlords, House and Estate Agents, Bill of Sale Holders, and others, in EXECUTING DISTRESS WARRANTS, or taking possession under BILLS OF SALE or RENT ORDERS, they having in their employment intelligent and reliable men, whom they can guarantee, and will either remove the furniture to their Rooms for sale, or sell on the premises.
ACCOUNT SALES RENDERED PROMPTLY.

Auction Sales.

THIS DAY, 26th MARCH, at 11 a.m.

To Drapers, Clothiers, Storekeepers, Hawkers, &c., &c.

GENERAL DRAPERY and CLOTHING, BOOTS and SHOES.

HOLLANDS, FLAX SHEETINGS, FLANNELS, TWEEDS, White Twill Sheetings, MEN'S, WOMEN'S, and CHILDREN'S HOSIERY, Women's Ulsters, Maid's Showerproof ditto, Umbrellas, Undershirts and Pants, Tweed and Serge Knicker Suits, Tweed Trousers, Trousers and Vests, Black and Drab Felt Hats, CRIMEAN and HARVARD SHIRTS.
BOOTS and SHOES. BOOTS and SHOES.

JAMES RODD and CO. will sell by auction, THIS MORNING, 26th MARCH, at 11 o'clock,
The above well-assorted lines of new and seasonable goods.

THIS DAY, 26th MARCH, at 12 o'clock.

On Account of whom it may Concern.

One Case Men's Waterproof Overcoats.
One Case Men's Waterproof Overcoats, with capes.

JAMES RODD and CO. will sell by auction, THIS MORNING prompt, at 12 o'clock,
The above. TERMS CASH.

THIS DAY, at 11 a.m sharp. Under Power of a Bill of Sale, on the Premises, 153 Wilson-street, Newtown. Superior HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

BARNARD and CO. will sell, as above,
Terms, cash. No reserve.
Office—143 King-street

BALMAIN and BIRKENHEAD INVESTMENTS.

FOR AUCTION SALE,
AT THE CENTRAL PROPERTY EXCHANGE,
365 Darling-street, Balmain,
NEXT SATURDAY, MARCH 29, at 3 p.m., by
GARRARD and HAMILTON.

BALMAIN, No. 5 BEATTIE-STREET, near DARLING-STREET.—A property in this unequalled business centre, consisting of building containing 3 rooms, shop, &c. Land 25 x 75. Title freehold. A chance which business men should not miss.

Nos. 76 and 78 CHURCH-STREET, and Nos. 1 and 3 SPRING-STREET.—Two W.B. Cottages, each 3 rooms, built on land having 39ft. frontage to Church-street, by a depth of 81ft. and 82ft. 9in. Also, 2 Stone Cottages, each 3 rooms, built on land having 52ft. 3in. to Spring-street, by a depth of 51ft. 7in. and 48ft. 6in. Back width, 52ft. Title Freehold. Annual rental, £85 16s. Close to Mort's Dock. Splendid investment. To be sold to suit purchasers.

SPRINGSIDE-STREET.—For positive Sale, Lot 19, having a frontage of 30ft. by a depth of 80ft. Must be sold. Title freehold.

PERRETT-STREET, No. 8.—Brick House, 4 rooms, hall, also kitchen, verandah and balcony, dwarf wall and railings. Torrens title. Back entrance. Land 18ft. x 98ft. Easy terms.

GLASSOP-STREET and FITZROY-AVENUE.—Lots 9 and 39, Roseville Estate, having a frontage of 20ft. to each street by a through depth of 16ft. Title Torrens. Unequalled views.

BIRKENHEAD, DAY-STREET and KING'S-ROAD.—Substantial new brick Cottage on stone foundations, containing 4 rooms, hall, kitchen, washhouse with copper, verandahs. Land 31ft. 11in x 100. Torrens title. Easy terms.

BIRKENHEAD-ROAD.—Brick Cottage, 3 rooms, kitchen, washhouse with copper, &c. Land 60 x 100. Torrens title. In the centre of the business part of this rapidly improving locality.

By order of the Mortgagee.
CHARLOTTE-STREET, BALMAIN.—W. B. Building, containing 4 rooms, built on lot 16, Bona Vista Estate, having a frontage of 29ft. by a depth of 90ft. Back lane. Title freehold. Messrs. Spain and Moore, solicitors for mortgagee.
Full particulars and cards to view from the auctioneers, 365 Darling-street, Balmain, and 76 Pitt-street, Sydney.

LEICHHARDT BREWERY.

PARRAMATTA-ROAD, LEICHHARDT.

A GOING CONCERN.

For AUCTION SALE
MONDAY, APRIL 14th, at 11 a.m.,
at the PROPERTY EXCHANGE, 76 PITT-STREET.

GARRARD and HAMILTON,
Auctioneers.

MORETON BAY.

TALBRAGAR RIVER, ADJOINING MEROTHERIE,
40 miles from Mudgee.

240 acres Freehold.
1480 acres C. P., certificates issued.
104 acres A. C. P., selected October, 1888, in virtue of freehold.
296 acres Conditional Lease.
3897 acres Annual Lease. All adjoining.
For positive sale by auction at Mudgee,
on TUESDAY, 8th APRIL,
the above splendid grazing and fattening property.

The land is principally black flats and rich chocolate ridges, nearly all fenced, and subdivided into secure sheep and cultivation paddocks.

CROSSING and COX have received instructions from W. Waterford, Esq., to sell by auction as above.

IMPORTANT AND VALUABLE
CITY PROPERTY,
SUSSEX and KENT STREETS,
close to Market-street, handy to the Wharfs,
and surrounded by the
SPLENDID WAREHOUSES
of
Messrs. JOHN KEEP and SON, Messrs. FARMER and CO., and others.

A COMMANDING BLOCK of LAND
having the
following IMPORTANT FRONTAGES:
63ft. to SUSSEX-STREET,
54ft. to KENT-STREET,
by a through depth of about 250ft.,
upon portion of which
Old Tenements are erected,
situate and known as
Nos. 172, 178, and 180 SUSSEX-STREET
Nos. 387, 389, and 391 KENT-STREET.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, THIS DAY, MARCH 26,
The above-described
VALUABLE BUILDING LAND,
fronting SUSSEX and KENT STREETS,
opposite the
CORPORATION NEW MARKETS.

Trustees, Investment Companies, and Business people generally should pay special attention to the sale of this property. The position is largely improving, and the growing importance of the neighbourhood justifies a much larger future value.

TERMS EASY.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

PADDINGTON,
just past QUEEN-STREET.

A GOOD BUSINESS SITE, situate and having 40ft. frontage to the SOUTH HEAD-ROAD by a depth of about 98ft., being Lots 12 and 13, Sec. 2, of ALEXANDER'S SUBDIVISION, upon which is erected a Blacksmith's Shop, at present let at £50 per annum.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.
Solicitor for the Mortgagee, Louis Dixon, Esq., Pitt-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
THIS DAY, MARCH 26th,
The above described block of land, just past QUEEN-STREET and overlooking the CENTENNIAL PARK.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

89 Acres, Lane Cove-road, parish of Gordon, being portion of Richard Gilbert's 60 acres, bounded by M'Call's 80 acres.
A splendid block, with main-road frontage, great elevation, and close to a railway station.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell, under instructions from the MORTGAGEE, by public auction, at their Sale Rooms in Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, April 9.
The above 39 acres block of land, fronting Lane Cove-road, parish of Gordon, as per plan to be seen at Rooms, and adjoining Mr. Cornwell's residence.
Messrs. WAY and WAY are solicitors for the mortgagee.

TRONGATE-STREET, GRANVILLE.
TWO BRICK-BUILT COTTAGES on brick and cement foundation, and known as FERN COTTAGES, each containing 4 rooms, kitchen, &c.; also, at the rear, large W.B. WORKSHOP. One is let at 11s per week, the other is occupied by the owner. The land has a frontage of 56ft. to Trongate-street by a depth of 200ft., laid out in garden, &c.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9,
The above-described property.

IN THE ESTATE of the late ROBERT CAMPBELL, Esq., of Buscot Park, Berks, England.

By Order of the Executors.

PARISH of JAMBEROO, COUNTY of CAMDEN.
100-ACRE GRANT to JOHN TERRY HUGHES, on the MACQUARIE RIVER-ROAD.

This 100-Acre Grant from the Crown to Mr. John Terry Hughes is the most westerly of two grants, each of 100 acres, made to the said John Terry Hughes, and is bounded on the north by the Macquarie Riverlet, on the west by Brownlie's 236 acres, on the south by 110-acre grant to W. Moles, and on the east partly by 53 acres granted to W. Moles, and by part of the other 100 acres granted to J. T. Hughes as far as the Macquarie Riverlet. The MACQUARIE RIVER-ROAD, leading from Albion Park Township up the mountain pass to Wingecarribee, Bowral, and Moss Vale, passes through the north end of the property. The MACQUARIE RIVER affords a constant and superabundant stream of the purest and finest water for every purpose, ample and to spare for irrigating the lowest-lying portion of the land.

The Property is distant about 20 miles from Wollongong by well-kept municipal roads, and about seven miles from the Albion Park station, on the Illawarra railway, and a similar distance across the paddocks to the Dapto station.

To external view the locality appears to be composed of regular settled strata. This favours a strong presumption amounting to a degree of certainty that some of the lower coal seams that are seen in the vicinity must underlie this property.

For particulars as to Title apply Messrs. WANT, JOHNSON, and CO., Solicitors, Norwich-chambers, Hunter-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16, 1890,
The above-described land.

ORDER OF SALE
of
SUNDRY PROPERTIES
to be
OFFERED BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
at the
ROOMS, 133 PITT-STREET,
at half-past 11 a.m.,
THIS DAY, MARCH 26.

SHARES.	300 FULLY PAID-UP SHARES (£1) in the LAWRENCE PATENT HYDRAULIC LIFT COMPANY, Limited.
CITY PROPERTY.	A VALUABLE BLOCK of BUILDING LAND, having 63ft. frontage to SUSSEX-STREET and 54ft. to KENT-STREET, by a through depth of about 250ft., upon portion of which old tenements are erected.
PADDINGTON. (By order of the mortgagee.)	A GOOD BUSINESS SITE, having 40ft. frontage to OLD SOUTH HEAD-ROAD, by a depth of about 99ft., with blacksmith's shop thereon.
WAVERLEY.	A TERRACE of 5 HOUSES, each containing 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse; land has frontage of 60ft. to FITZGERALD-STREET, by a depth of 111ft.

HARDIE and GORMAN,
Auctioneers.

SHARES.

300 FULLY PAID-UP SHARES (£1)
in
THE LAWRENCE PATENT HYDRAULIC LIFT COMPANY, Limited.

This Company is shaping well, and has good prospects.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-st., at 11.30 a.m.
THIS DAY, MARCH 26,
The above-mentioned shares.

WAVERLEY.
ON THE FITZGERALD ESTATE.
A Terrace of Five well-built HOUSES, situate fronting FITZGERALD-STREET, known as Ruby Row, built of brick, with iron roofs, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, &c.; let at 10s per week each. The land has a frontage of 60ft. by 111ft.
TITLE FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, in the rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
THIS DAY, MARCH 26th,
The above-described little investment. (15-380)

ORDER OF SALE
TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 27th MARCH.
By MILLS, PILE, and WILSON,
at their SYDNEY AUCTION MART, 130 PITT-STREET,
at half-past 11 o'clock.

SHARES.	1300 Australasian Mining Exchange Company, Limited, £1 shares, paid up to 3s, dividend paying. Also, 500 FULLY PAID UP SHARES in same Company. 250 Shares in the Compagnoni Palace Cafe and Catering Co., fully fully paid up.
KISSING POINT-ROAD, RYDE,	Choice Villa, or business site, 132 x 200, Wharf-road, partly fenced, freehold.
ANNANDALE. Mayes-street.	EARLY COTTAGE, on land 20 x 116; also MAYES COTTAGE, on land 25 x 90, right-of-way off Mayes-street, and fronting White's Creek.
BONDI.	Family Residence, KISWICK, 9 rooms, &c., on land 65 x 165, close to tram.
MERRYLANDS.	Corner Allotment of Land, 150 x 200, near Railway Station, St. Ann's Hill Estate.
PETERSHAM.	FINE CORNER BLOCK, 33 x 137, Palace and Brighton streets. Torrens title.
ENFIELD.	Liverpool-road, Cottage Residence, and Hotel building, with about 5 acres of good elevated land.
ILLAWARRA.	STANWELL PARK, 800 acres of Land, ocean, railway, and main-road frontages. A CHANCE for SPECULATORS and CAPITALISTS.
CITY.	ATHLONE-PLACE, George-street West.—Land 20ft. to Athlone-place by depth of 81ft.; also, off Athlone-place, a W.B. Cottage and Land 22 x 80, freehold.
CITY, Wilton-place.	A small Brick House, 4 rooms, kitchen, &c., on Land 16½ x 90, off Belmore-street, near Elizabeth-street South. Freehold title.

FULL PARTICULARS AT THE ROOMS.

SHARES. SHARES. SHARES.

NEXT THURSDAY, 27th MARCH, at 11.30.

500 Fully paid-up Shares in THE AUSTRALASIAN MINING EXCHANGE COMPANY of Sydney, Limited.
250 Fully paid-up Shares in THE COMPAGNONI PALACE CAFE AND CATERING COMPANY, Limited.
TERMS CASH.

MILLS, PILE, and WILSON have been instructed to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 130 Pitt-street, the above SHARES.

TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, MARCH 27.

To Building Societies and Capitalists.

GRAND MARINE TOWNSHIP INVESTMENT,
with rights to coal underneath.

STANWELL PARK,
on the WOLLONGONG RAILWAY LINE,
MAIN SYDNEY ROAD,
and 1½-MILE OCEAN FRONTAGE,
comprising
800 ACRES LAND,
will be sold by
MILLS, PILE, and WILSON at AUCTION,
at their
SYDNEY AUCTION MART, 130 Pitt-street.
See Saturday's and Thursday's Advertisement.

NEXT SATURDAY, 29th MARCH,
at half-past 3 o'clock.

10 ACRES AND 4 ACRES BLOCKS OF LAND,
pre-eminently suited for
VINEYARDS AND ORCHARDS,
adjoining
THE CELEBRATED MINCHINBURY VINEYARD,
and being part of
THE COLYTON ESTATE, ROOTY HILL.

FREEHOLD TITLE. 5 YEARS' CREDIT.

MILLS, PILE, and WILSON have been instructed by Mr. William Robinson to sell by public auction,
ON THE GROUND, ROOTY HILL,
situate handy the
ROOTY HILL STATION AND WOODSTOCK CANNERY.

The above
BLOCKS OF ORCHARD AND VINEYARD LAND.

TERMS:
10 per cent. cash deposit, balance can remain for 3 or 5 years at 5 per cent. per annum, interest payable quarterly, or 5 per cent. discount for cash.
A CERTAIN INDEPENDENT LIVING.

PLANS at the Rooms of the AUCTIONEERS, 130 Pitt-street. Free train tickets to intending buyers.

NEXT SATURDAY, 29th MARCH.

On the GROUND, at half-past 3 o'clock.

FIRST SUBDIVISION
of
THE TAYLOR BAY ESTATE.

24 WATER-FRONTAGE BLOCKS
and
78 ALLOTMENTS OVERLOOKING THE HARBOUR.
All these Allotments have good frontages of from 50 to 450ft., and fine depths.

MILLS, PILE, and WILSON have received instructions from the proprietor, Mr. David Thompson, to sell by public auction, on the Ground, as above,
The FIRST SUBDIVISION of this choice estate, comprising 102 ALLOTMENTS IN ALL, of which 24 have frontages to the waters of the harbour.
The remaining allotments have frontages to wide streets, and command splendid views of the harbour and over Bondi Beach to the ocean.
ONE FEATURE of this ESTATE
is
THE FINE GOVERNMENT RESERVE ADJOINING,
which will always be open for public recreation.
THE GREAT MILITARY-ROAD is but a short distance from the property, along which the concessions for a private tramway have been granted by Parliament. This, when constructed, will bring the estate within easy communication with the town of St. Leonards; meantime, there is STEAMBOAT COMMUNICATION WITH CIRCULAR QUAY, the time of journey being under 20 minutes.
THE TERMS OF SALE ARE VERY LIBERAL:
10 per cent. cash deposit, balance by 9 quarterly payments, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum.
THE TITLE IS UNDER TORRENS' ACT.
LITHOGRAPHS are now ready at the Rooms.

CONVEYANCES run from MOSSMAN'S BAY three times daily—at 10, 12.30, and 2.30; and Chowder Bay steamer leaves Floating Jetty, Circular Quay, daily at 7.30, 10.30, 12, 2.30, and 5, return 6d.

MAGNIFICENT FREEHOLD PROPERTY,
suitable for
Farms and Country Residence Sites.

ON AN EARLY DATE.

MOUNT GILEAD,
2063 ACRES IN EXTENT.

TORRENS TITLE. LIBERAL TERMS.

A SPLENDID RESIDENTIAL ESTATE,
and worthy the attention of City Merchants and those desiring a
HEALTHFUL COUNTRY HOUSE,
within
EASY ACCESS of the METROPOLIS,
and comprising
Park-like Lands. Extremely Grand Views. Rich Soil.
Abundant Water Supply.
Climate Superb. Excellent Drives and Roads.

MILLS, PILE, and WILSON have received instructions from Edmund B. Woodhouse, Esq., in consequence of his intended departure from the colony, to submit to auction, at their Rooms, 130 Pitt-street, Sydney,
ON AN EARLY DATE,
THE MAGNIFICENT MOUNT GILEAD ESTATE,
situate
close to the Great Southern Line of Railway,
watered by the
Nepean River, George's River, and Artificial Lakes,
with fishing, boating, bathing, &c.
Illustrated Pamphlets, with Map and extended Description, obtainable from the proprietor or the auctioneers, with whom arrangements can be made for inspection.

FOR POSITIVE SALE

AT THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, SYDNEY.

THIS DAY, 26th March,
at 12 o'clock noon.

THAT MAGNIFICENT PASTORAL PROPERTY
known as ASTON, near Bombala,
comprising,
2518 Acres Freehold LAND
4330 Acres C. P. LAND,
and about
8600 Mixed SHEEP, a superior lot
33 Head CATTLE
and
10 HORSES.
Also, 206 acres, more or less, adjoining the Bombala Common.

JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. have received instructions from Robt. J. King, Esq., Attorney for the Executors of the late Sir James Matheson, Bart., to sell by public auction, at the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney, THIS DAY, 26th March, 1890, at 12 noon, the above magnificent and highly improved property.

ASTON has been held by the present owners for over 40 years, and is now only being placed in the market to close the account.

This property is admitted to be one of the best in the Monaro District, and has only to be seen to be appreciated.

The country is nearly all rich black and chocolate soil, well watered by Aston and other creeks. The climate is superb.

The carrying capabilities of Aston are estimated at over a sheep to the acre, and a great deal of the land is fit for agricultural purposes.

To those wanting a good paying property the agents can highly recommend Aston.

Numerous private offers have been made for this property, but the instructions are that it must go to auction and be sold to the highest bidder.

Terms—One-third cash; balance at 1, 2, and 3 years, bearing interest at 6 per cent., and secured in the usual way.

The manager (Mr. J. P. Bouzeville) will show intending purchasers over the property.

Full particulars on application to
JOSEPH LEEDS, and CO.,
Jamieson-street,
Sydney.

FOR POSITIVE SALE

BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

at the
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, EXCHANGE,
SYDNEY,
MARCH the 26th, at 12 noon,
immediately after the Sale of Aston.

987 ACRES of EXCEEDINGLY RICH LAND, suitable for grazing or agriculture, well improved, and close to Bombala township.

Also,
320 ACRES, on which is erected a Cheese Factory and other improvements.

JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. have been favoured with instructions from the Agent of WM. PALMER, Esq., and T. S. RICHARDSON, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney, THIS DAY, 26th March, 1890, at 12 noon,
The above VALUABLE PROPERTIES.

The Auctioneers can, with every confidence, recommend intending buyers to inspect the above valuable properties. They comprise portions of the richest land in the Bombala district, and require no outlay. The railway will be opened to Bombala in a few years, so that properties must increase in value very rapidly.

Full particulars may be had from the Agents,
9 Bank-chambers,
Jamieson-street,
Sydney.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

At the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, WEDNESDAY,
26th MARCH, at 12 o'clock noon.

JOSEPH LEEDS and CO. have received instructions from the Proprietor to sell by public auction, at the Chamber of Commerce, THIS DAY, 26th March, at 12 o'clock noon,
All that magnificent property known as Boco, in the Monaro district, within 6 miles of Nimitybelle and 20 miles from the Cooma Railway Station. A very choice grazing and freehold property, containing an area of
592 acres freehold
4914 ditto C.P. certificated
1690 ditto leasehold resumed

7196 acres.

The stock comprises 7100 high-class merino sheep, 80 head of cattle, and 22 horses.
The country is nearly all black soil, and is of heavy carrying capabilities, equal to 1½ sheep per acre; also produces heavy crops of lucerne, oats, wheat, &c.
Boco is permanently watered by Boco Creek and the M'Laughlin River, also numerous springs; and is subdivided into a number of sheep-proof paddocks. There is also a good homestead and woolshed, with all necessary outbuildings.
Further particulars and terms on application to
JOSEPH LEEDS and CO.,
Jamieson-street,
Sydney.

TO PLUMBERS, GASFITTERS, and Others.
UNRESERVED SALE
at
SCHROEDER'S LIVERY STABLE, HUNTER-STREET.

DUFF and COLLINS have received instructions to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on THURSDAY, MARCH 27th, at 11.30,
at above address,
FIVE HOOKER PATENT INCANDESCENT LIGHTING MACHINES COMPLETE, coils of wire rope, benches, quantity tools, brass fittings, soldering irons, glass globes, shades, &c.
On VIEW morning of sale. SALE to COMMENCE 11.30.
Auctioneers' Offices,
109 Pitt-street.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

GILLENDOON AND YARRAGRIN STATIONS.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, have been favoured with instructions from the Exors. of the late GEO. ROUSE, Esq., to submit by public auction, at their Saleroom, Macquarie-place, Sydney, on TUESDAY, the 8th day of April, at 2.30 p.m.,
The above celebrated and highly-improved station properties.

LOT 1.
GILLENDOON STATION
is situated on the Macquarie River, Central Division, 4 miles from Warren, and 16 miles from Nevertire Railway Station.
The estate consists of about
7,925 acres freehold
1,676 ditto conditional purchase
1,818 ditto ditto lease
20,740 ditto leasehold area.
With the station will be sold about
9,100 ewes, 3 years to aged, to lamb April-May
1,100 ditto, ditto ditto, ditto June-July
3,800 mixed sexes, shearlings
270 rams, 3 years to aged
118 wethers, 3 years
300 ewes, aged

14,488 sheep, all more or less.

CATTLE.
1,100 store bullocks, 50 cows, 40 weaners (15 to 18 months), all more or less.

HORSES.
27 head, mostly station bred.

This property consists of remarkably rich alluvial river flats and open box, myall, and saltbush plains. It was selected by the late Mr. Geo. Rouse as being the pick of the celebrated Macquarie country, and for grazing and fattening purposes cannot be excelled in the colony. Having a frontage of about 25 miles to the river, nearly the whole of the property is specially adapted for irrigation purposes; and, being close to the railway, there is every facility for carrying on a lucrative business in fat stock.

In addition to the river there are numerous creeks with permanent water; in fact the supply has never failed in the severest droughts. Over 98 miles of substantial fencing divides the run into convenient paddocks, and there is every requisite for working the station without further outlay.

LOT 2.
YARRAGRIN STATION,
situated in the Coonabarabran District,
Central Division, consists of about
10,475 acres freehold
1,421 ditto conditional purchase
71,390 ditto leasehold area.
With the station will be sold
4,082 ewes, aged, no broken mouths, to lamb June July
1,100 ewes, 3 years old, to lamb June-July
1,200 ditto, 4 years old, ditto ditto ditto
2,900 wethers, 3 years old
13,279 ditto, 4, 5, and 6 years old
2,300 mixed sexes, 2 years old
200 ditto hoggets
30 rams
3,000 mixed sexes, weaners

28,091 sheep more or less.

CATTLE.
2 pure Devon bulls
136 ditto ditto breeding cows
172 ditto ditto weaners
88 crossbred weaners

399 head more or less

HORSES.
30 head, mostly stationbred.

This property has all been very highly improved, and is divided into numerous paddocks, enclosed by 130 miles of fencing.

Permanent water in wells and tanks is secured all over the station, and several splendid creeks run through the property.

The soil is a rich black loam, and the country for the most part is undulating, with box, appletree, and currajong ridges. The flat country consists of rich myall plains. The whole of the estate is thoroughly sound and healthy, and was also selected by the late Mr. George Rouse as being land of special value.

The above properties are for absolute sale in accordance with the provisions of the will of the late George Rouse, Esq., and it is seldom that such an opportunity offers for securing stations which have been subjected for over a quarter of a century to the supervision and skill of one of the leading flockmasters of the colony.

Inspection invited.

For full information as to the breeding of the stock, nature of improvements, &c., &c., to be had of the auctioneers,

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited,
Macquarie-place,
Sydney.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

VALUABLE CITY INVESTMENT.

ELIZABETH-STREET SOUTH
and
RANDALL-STREET.

THE CITY VIEW HOTEL, at the junction of the two streets; THREE TWO-STOREY HOUSES, ELIZABETH-STREET; and THREE TWO-STOREY HOUSES IN RANDALL-STREET.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th March, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT valuable corner block of city land, having the following GREAT FRONTAGES:—
145FT. to ELIZABETH-STREET
130½FT. to RANDALL-STREET,
on which are the following extensive premises, built of brick on stone foundations.
THE CITY VIEW HOTEL,
at the intersection of the two streets.
It is built of brick on stone foundations, and contains the following:—
On GROUND FLOOR—2 bars, 2 parlours, and large dining-room
FIRST FLOOR—spacious drawing-room, 3 bedrooms, and bathroom
ATTIC STOREY—3 bedrooms
BASEMENT—kitchen and cellar.
It has balcony all round, and there is a large yard, with rough stabling accommodation, &c.
Three TWO-STOREY dwelling houses, Nos. 415, 417, and 419, having balconies, and each containing 4 rooms and kitchen. They are built of brick on stone foundations, with shingled roofs, fronting ELIZABETH-STREET.
Three TWO-STOREY DWELLING HOUSES, fronting RANDALL-STREET, being Nos. 2, 4, and 6, built of brick on stone foundations, slate roofs, each having verandah and balcony, and containing 4 rooms and kitchen.
A large portion of the frontages of the land is still vacant, upon which several other houses can easily be erected.
☞ This property is in the market for POSITIVE SALE, by order of the mortgagee.
In the hands of a good industrious man, who understands the business, the hostelry alone would prove a most lucrative investment, and the dwelling-houses are constantly tenanted.
This property, from its close proximity to the Redfern Railway Terminus, and its PROMINENT and popular position in the city, is well worthy of notice, and instructions are imperative that it must be disposed of on the date mentioned.

It is CLEVELAND ESTATE LEASEHOLD, having about 75 years to run at a ground rent of £30 per annum.
TERMS: Two-thirds of the purchase-money may remain on the property. (866)

By Order of the EXECUTORS of the late Mr. JOHN SMITH.

CITY INVESTMENT,
only a few yards from Oxford-street, at Hyde Park.

TWO HOUSES, Nos. 18 and 20 BRISBANE-STREET, off Oxford-street; and HOUSE, No. 1 Little Brisbane-street. They are of brick, painted, on stone foundations; two have verandahs in front, and each containing four rooms and kitchen. One has balcony in front, and contains four rooms. Rental, £78 per annum. The land has 27ft. 8in. frontage to Brisbane-street, and 80ft. to Little Brisbane-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th March, at 11 o'clock,
The above, being only a few yards from Oxford-street, at Hyde Park, is in one of the best-letting positions in the city.
Messrs. DEANE and DEANE are Solicitors of the Estate. (862)

BY ORDER of the EXECUTOR of the ESTATE late Mr. JOSEPH MORGAN.

LOWER RANDWICK.
Allotment of Land, 30ft. frontage to MIDDLE-STREET, on which is erected a detached COTTAGE of weatherboards, lined and painted inside on brick piers, verandah in front, and containing hall and 4 rooms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by AUCTION, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th March, at 11 o'clock,
The above small dwelling at Lower Randwick. (868)

HUNTER'S HILL,
an attractive and very healthy Suburb.

1st.—CRUCIA, an exceeding well-built and comfortable COTTAGE RESIDENCE in ALEXANDRA-STREET, close to DRUMMOYNE-STREET, opposite A. J. S. Bank, near the Churches, and handy to Long Wharf, also wharf at foot of Alexandra-street.
It is of stone, has verandah front and rear, and contains hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, servant's room, and washhouse; underground and overground tanks, city water and gas, garden front and sides.
The LAND has 56ft. 9in. frontage, with a depth of 150ft. extending to lane at rear.
⁂ It is seldom a Cottage Residence can be purchased in this popular and highly improved marine suburb; therefore those seeking a home at Hunter's Hill are particularly invited to inspect CRUCIA.

Lot 2.—WATERSIDE BLOCK of LAND, 100ft. frontage to waters of river a little above HUNTER'S HILL WHARF, and a few feet from Steamers' Wharf, foot of De Milhan-street; depth, 210ft. to 231ft., and extending to George-street at rear.
⁂ A choice Villa Site, in the vicinity of good properties.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th March, at 11 o'clock,
The above Hunter's Hill Freeholds.
Plans on view. (861)

ALICE-STREET, NEWTOWN.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

CHESHUNT, a two-storey residence, built of brick on stone foundation, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing hall, five rooms, kitchen, pantry and washhouse; gas and city water laid on to property; small garden plot in front. The land has 15ft. 9in. frontage, 100ft. deep, extending to back entrance.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th March, at 11 o'clock,
The above attractive residence at Newtown, handy to the main road, and omnibuses pass the door.

TERMS AT SALE. (874)

GEORGE-STREET WEST.
On throng side of this great thoroughfare, a portion of the city that must ever attract immense passenger traffic.
SHOP, No. 79, a two-story substantial building of brick (front cemented and painted), on stone foundations, slate and iron roof, and containing very deep shop, 45ft., and other eight rooms, long known as the business premises of Mr. A. Fletcher, general ironmonger, earthenware, glass, and china warehouse, and enjoying a first-rate connection. A lease for three years can be entered into with a tenant, to return at least 7 per cent. on the sale money, to enable the present stock to be reduced or until shop be sub-let, or, if early possession be required, arrangements can be made to that end.
LAND having 21ft. FRONTAGE by nearly 100ft. back to a lane.
It is expected that the Public High School and Technical College are to be built in Harris-street and Jones-street, quite close by, and the Fruit Markets are being agitated for in the neighbourhood.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, March 28, at 11 o'clock,
The above property, George-street West. (863)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

NORTH WILLOUGHBY, NORTH SHORE.

COTTAGE of brick, front cemented, on stone foundation, verandah in front, and containing hall and 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse. The land consists of lots 17 and 18 of Barnesville Estate, having 100ft. frontage to EDMUND-STREET, with a depth of 150ft.; at the rear of Mr. Jelly's residence in Arthur-street, and handy to 'bus or train from Chatswood station.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th MARCH, at 11 o'clock,
The above, soon to be brought within easy reach of Milson's Point by rail.
Messrs. FITZHARDINGE, SON, and HOUSTON, 98 Pitt-street, are Solicitors of the Mortgagee. (851)

SURRY HILLS INVESTMENTS.

LOT 1.—FOSTER-STREET, off CAMPBELL-STREET, between Macquarie-street South and Elizabeth-street.
THREE HOUSES, Nos. 10, 12, and 14 Foster-street. They are of brick, fronts cemented and painted, rear painted; on stone foundations, slate roofs, balconies in front, and each containing 5 rooms and kitchen.
Land, about 35ft. frontage to Foster-street, depth extending to a lane. Rental £109 4s per annum.
LOT 2.—HUNT-STREET, off Macquarie-street South, near Campbell-street, FOUR HOUSES, Nos. 7, 9, 11, and 13. They are of brick, fronts cemented and painted, rear painted; on stone, slate roofs, balconies in front, and each containing 4 rooms and kitchen, part T. and G. boards. Land, about 45ft. frontage to Hunt-street, depth back to right-of-way. Rental, £134 16s per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, March 28, at 11 o'clock,
The above city terraces. In a good letting position; yards, &c., connected with sewer. (871)

FOR POSITIVE SALE.
(1.) DARLING-ROAD, BALMAIN.
TWO-STORY PREMISES of stone and wood, containing double shop, hall, 5 rooms, and kitchen; an active part of the main street in this populous suburb. It is close to John-street, and almost opposite Adolphus-street; land, 36ft. frontage 60ft. depth.
(2.) MORT and COLLEGE STREETS.
Land, 33ft. frontage to each, depth through 172ft., together with the Cottage thereon, built of weatherboards, shingle roof, verandah in front, and containing 4 rooms; handy to the Dock, ferry, &c. Lots 3 and 12 of Block 3 of Balmain Estate. A capital position and suitable for a van or cab proprietor.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th March, at 11 o'clock,
The above freeholds, at Balmain. (864)

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

TO RAILWAY WORKMEN AND OTHERS.

COTTAGE, No. 195 HENDERSON-ROAD, ALEXANDRIA, opposite Mr. Henderson's house and grounds, and only a few minutes' walk from EVELEIGH YARDS and WORKSHOPS. It is of brick, front cemented and painted, on stone foundation, verandah in front, and containing 3 rooms, weatherboard rooms (lined), stable and cartshed. The LAND (FREEHOLD) has 20ft. frontage to Henderson-road, depth 100ft. back to lane.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th March, at 11 o'clock,
The above freehold cottage, worthy the attention of railway workmen, &c., &c. (855)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

1st. MACDONALDTOWN, Lot 11, Section 2, Lambertville Estate, about 14½ft. frontage to Lambert-street, depth 65ft., close to Erskineville-road, and handy to stations.
2nd. GRANVILLE, 33ft. 10in. to Harrington-road, close to station. Torrens' Title.
3rd. FAIRFIELD, Lots 22, 23, 50, 88, 89, and 116 Lombard and Rosina streets, near station.
4th. GOSFORD, Lot 33, section C, Bull's Subdivision, 50ft. to Gertrude-street. Torrens' Title.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by AUCTION, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th March, at 11 o'clock,
The above suburban lands. Plans on view. (856)

TRAFALGAR-STREET, NORTH ANNANDALE.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

LAND having 33 FEET frontage to TRAFALGAR-STREET by a depth of 187 feet 6 inches to a lane 30 feet wide at the rear, to which the frontage is also 33 feet, upon which is erected a WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE, containing 4 rooms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th MARCH, at eleven o'clock.
The above small property at North Annandale.

TERMS AT SALE. (875)

JOHNSTON-STREET, ANNANDALE.
The best street in this attractive suburb.
HOUSE and COTTAGE near the superior properties of Messrs. Taylor and Abigail, and almost next to residence of Dr. Cummins; the house is of attractive fancy brick front, and contains hall, verandah, balconette, 5 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, at rear is large stabling and lofty premises. Adjoining the house is a wooden cottage of three rooms. The above occupy a good site and could be made an excellent investment.
LAND 33ft. by 175ft. to a lane at rear.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th March, at 11 o'clock,
The above, Johnston-street, Annandale.
IN ONE OR TWO LOTS. (858)

CAMPBELL'S-PLACE, WOOLLOOMOOLOO,
between Crown and Riley streets, north of William-street.

THE LAND has a frontage of 35ft. by a depth of 102ft. 9in., on which are erected two 2-story HOUSES fronting Campbell's-place, built of brick on stone foundations, iron roofs, each containing 4 rooms, and 3 COTTAGES at the rear, of brick on stone foundations, shingle roofs, each containing 3 rooms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by public auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, MARCH 28, at 11 o'clock,
The above city freehold, worth attention. (872)

BURWOOD ROAD, BURWOOD.
AN ACTIVE AND CERTAINLY IMPROVING THOROUGHFARE.
On Northern Side of Railway Line and only 3 minutes from from Station.

TWO BUSINESS PREMISES and DWELLINGS, well built of brick, containing each awning and balcony, large shop, 5 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, pantry, bathroom, gas and city water laid on. On northern side of line.
Well recommended as an investment that must grow in value. On the highway to a large district beyond.
Land 40 x 140, back to a lane.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th March, at 11 o'clock,
The above business premises on Burwood-road, Burwood.
Keys with Mr. Simpson, Bootmaker, Burwood-road, a few doors nearer station. (877)

NEUTRAL BAY, NORTH SHORE.

TO BE SOLD CHEAP,
on account of owner residing in country.

1st—COTTAGE of Brick, verandah on three sides (enclosed with glass), and containing 4 rooms, 2 dressing-rooms, kitchen, servants' room, pantry, and washhouse; land 65ft. to Yeo-street and 150ft. to Premier-street. Leasehold 94 years to run; ground rent £2 10s per annum.
2nd—Brick COTTAGE, of 4 rooms; land 65ft. to Hardy-street (a few feet from Lot 1), and 75ft. along Premier-street; leasehold 94 years to run; ground rent £2 10s per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th March, at 11 o'clock,
The above described COTTAGES, on heights of Neutral Bay, close to Public School, Military-road, and Ben Boyd-road. (857)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

GOOD SUBURBAN FREEHOLD PROPERTIES.

1st—DULWICH HILL, LEWISHAM,
only 2 minutes from Tram Terminus.
TWO semi-detached COTTAGES, in Lewisham-street, off Canterbury New-road. They are of brick, verandahs in front, and each containing half hall, two rooms, kitchen, and wooden shed. The land has 50ft. frontage, with a depth of 112ft. Part of the frontage is vacant.

2nd—DULWICH HILL, LEWISHAM.
TWO detached COTTAGES, in Lewisham-street, a few feet from above. They are of brick, on stone foundations, slate roofs, verandahs front and rear, and each containing half hall, three rooms and kitchen. The Land has 50ft. frontage with a depth of 101ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th March, at 11 o'clock,
The above suburban freeholds, by order of the mortgagee.
Messrs. STEPHEN, JACQUES, and STEPHEN are Solicitors of Mortgagee. (860)

IN THE ESTATE
OF THE LATE WILLIAM VIVERS, Esq.

BY ORDER OF THE ADMINISTRATRIX.

FOR POSITIVE SALE,
That Magnificent Freehold Estate and Pastoral Property
known as
KING'S PLAINS and SWAMP OAK,
Situated in the New England District, together with all Improvements, Stock, and Belongings.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited (in conjunction with Messrs. Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Limited), have received instructions from the Administratrix of the above Estate to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, 31st MARCH, at 11 o'clock,
The above well-known station property, together with all the Freehold, Conditionally Purchased Land, and all the sheep and cattle and station plant thereon or thereto belonging.

KING'S PLAINS.
This noted property is situated in the New England District, in the Eastern Division of the colony of New South Wales, and is about 20 miles west of GLEN INNES and 35 miles from Inverell, from which town railway communication with the metropolis is available. It comprises an area of about 75,073 acres 1 rood 36 perches, which are thus described:—

LANDS:
FREEHOLD, 15,711 acres, more or less
CONDITIONALLY PURCHASED, 16,762 acres 1 rood 36 perches, more or less
CROWN LANDS, 42,600 acres, more or less
And two small portions under lease from private owners.

STOCK:
SHEEP:

Ewes, 3 years	3000	
Ewes, 4 years	8900	
Ewes, 5 years	4150	
Ewes, 6 years	1730	
Breeders ...	17,780 more or less.	
Aged, dry ...	970 more or less	
	18,750	
Wethers, 2 years	5500	
Hoggets, mixed sexes	2200	
Weaners, mixed sexes	13,000	
Rams, mixed ages	550	
Total sheep ...	40,000, more or less	

CATTLE:

Bullocks of 1887 ...	250	
Bullocks of 1888 ...	160	
		410
Cows, 3 years and upwards	400	
Cows of 1887 ...	250	
Cows of 1888 ...	160	
		810
Calves, males, 1889 ...	170	
Calves, females, 1889 ...	170	
		340
		41,560

100 horses more or less
The character and formation of the country is rich black soil plains, open forest, chocolate flats, and sound basaltic ridges, timbered with box, apple-tree, and some gum, and possessing more than average stock-carrying capabilities, being heavily grassed throughout. Although the country is capable of raising and maintaining good stock, yet its principal value is more of an agricultural character, as two-thirds of the purchased lands are magnificent, rich, heavy arable soil—about 5000 acres being untimbered and ready for the plough. The average annual rainfall is about 30 inches. This, combined with the even, unvarying climate of New England, makes these lands peculiarly well adapted for farming pursuits.
The HOMESTEAD, which is on freehold, is commodious and complete, comprising all offices, buildings, and yards necessary for economically and efficiently working the establishments, the woolshed being particularly worthy of mention. Over 80 miles of fencing has been erected, enclosing 15 sheep paddocks, exclusive of five cultivation and two large horse paddocks. A large area has been improved by ringbarking.
In addition to the King's Plains and Swamp Oak Creeks, there are numerous good permanent springs, and a number of well-placed dams or tanks, which provide an ample supply in all paddocks.
TERMS OF SALE.—£5000 cash deposit at time of sale; a further payment on delivery, making, with deposit, one-fourth of the whole amount of the purchase-money; and the balance may remain secured on the property, payable by four promissory notes, in equal amounts of capital, at 2, 3, 4, and 5 years, bearing interest on such balance at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, with option to pay off during currency of such promissory notes on giving six months' previous notice in writing.

PLAN ON VIEW AT THE ROOMS,
98 PITT-STREET.

Messrs. STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN, O'Connell-street, are Solicitors to the Estate. (877)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

ANNANDALE-STREET, NORTH ANNANDALE,
close to Collins-street, and handy to tram.
Brick COTTAGE, containing 6 rooms, erected on part of allotment 29, sec. 36, having 12½ft. frontage, with a depth of 135ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on THURSDAY, 3rd April, at 11 o'clock,
The above small freehold, further particulars of which will appear in a few days. Torrens' Title. (853)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

LIVERPOOL-ROAD, ASHFIELD.
Two SHOPS, fronting this main BUSINESS THOROUGHFARE, in a populous suburb.
The LAND has 42ft. frontage to LIVERPOOL-ROAD, depth 123ft., extending to right-of-way 10ft. wide.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on THURSDAY, 3rd April, at 11 o'clock,
Business premises, Liverpool-road, Ashfield, full particulars of which will appear in a few days.
Messrs. STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN are Solicitors of Mortgagee. (882)

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

ST. MARY'S-STREET and ROSS-STREET,
NORTH KINGSTON ESTATE,
between
KING-STREET, NEWTOWN, and PARRAMATTA-ROAD,
CAMPERDOWN.

A HOUSE and THREE COTTAGES, erected upon block of land at the junction of the above-mentioned streets.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on THURSDAY, 3rd April, at 11 o'clock,
The above investment, freehold on North Kingston Estate, Newtown and Camperdown. Full particulars in future advertisement. Plan of position on view. (884)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

SUBURBAN LANDS.
Must be Sold.

1. RANDWICK.—Allotments 18 to 22 inclusive, of Sydney Omnibus Company's Subdivision, having 200ft. frontage to YOUNG-STREET, with a depth of 160ft.

2. ENMORE.—30ft. to CAMDEN-STREET, and 90ft. to FERNDALE-STREET. Torrens' title.

3. LEICHHARDT.—ALLOTMENTS 13 to 16, DONOVAN'S PADDOCK, having 166ft. to HILL-STREET, depth 112ft. Torrens' Title.

4. SOUTH ASHFIELD.—Allotment 5, HILLSIDE ESTATE, having 33ft. to George's River-road, by 163ft. along Leopold-street, and extending to a lane. Torrens' Act.
Allotment 38, ditto, having 33ft. to Leopold-street, depth 157ft., extending to lane. Torrens' title.
5. CANTERBURY.—Allotments 22, 23, 35, and 36, Mandeville Estate, having 100ft. to CHARLOTTE-STREET, and 100ft. to Elizabeth-street, depth through 231ft. 7in. Torrens' Act.
6. BURWOOD.—Allotment 15, section T, Cheltenham, 66ft. frontage to Lucas-road, depth 206ft.
7. FAIRFIELD.—3r. 14½p., being Allotments 28 to 27, of subdivision of township, having 20ft. 9in. to Fairfield-crescent, depth 117ft. 11in. on one side, and 197ft. 9in. on the other.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on THURSDAY, 3rd April, at 11 o'clock,
The above described suburban lands, which must be sold to close mortgage accounts.
Plans on view.
A. ROFE, Esq., Elizabeth-street, is solicitor of the Mortgagee. (887)

SUMMER HILL.

Substantial W.B. COTTAGE, No. 31 DOVER-STREET, 4 rooms and kitchen, stable, workshop, &c. Land, 50 x 203.
Only 4 minutes' easy walk from station. Good views, elevated position, desirable locality.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
THURSDAY, 3rd April, at 11 o'clock,
The above described property.
Title, Torrens'. (891)

TO BREWERS, HOTELKEEPERS, CAPITALISTS, and SPECULATORS.

NEW, VERY COMMODIOUS, and WELL-DESIGNED
HOTEL PREMISES,
the
CONDITIONAL LICENSE
of which
RUNS TO JUNE NEXT.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 11th April, at 11 o'clock,
That CORNER BLOCK of LAND, part of BRIGGS'S ESTATE, at NEWTOWN, having frontages of 53½ft. to STANLEY-STREET, and 108ft. to side lane.
On it is a recently-erected and substantial BUILDING of brick, front cemented, tiled verandah and balconettes in front, and containing large cellar, BAR (fitted), private BAR (fitted), 35 rooms, kitchen with range and dresser, laundry, pantry, and 2 bathrooms; detached stable, coachhouse and harness-room, gas and city water.

A VERY COMPLETE HOTEL (not open, but CONDITIONAL LICENSE OBTAINED), surrounded by a large population, and in an advancing part of NEWTOWN. It is worth the attention of those desirous of obtaining IMMEDIATE POSSESSION of first-class business premises.
E. MEYER, Esq., is solicitor of the mortgagee. (894)

BY ORDER OF THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE of Mr.
J. A. JOUVE, Deceased.

HARGRAVE-STREET, PADDINGTON,
between Cascade and Elizabeth streets.

HARBOUR VIEW COTTAGE, No. 61, Hargrave-street, of weatherboard, lined inside, verandah in front, and containing half hall, 4 rooms and kitchen, small bathroom of wood.
THE LAND has 80ft. frontage to Hargrave-street, Underwood Estate, with a depth of 105ft., extending to wide lane.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 11th April, at 11 o'clock,
The above convenient small house, with large area of land, at Paddington, having omnibus communication every 5 minutes during the day. Title, Torrens.
Messrs. CAPE, KENT, and GADEN are Solicitors for the Estate. (893)

BAULKHAM HILLS.

Superior Country RESIDENCE and
INCOME PROPERTY.

The well-known
ROXBURGH HALL ESTATE,
about 4 miles from Parramatta Station,
opposite the residence of G. T. Suttor, Esq., J.P.,
on the
BAULKHAM HILLS-ROAD,
and extending
through to Castle Hill or Dural road,
and having a roadway at side.

ABOUT 178 ACRES 1 ROOD IN EXTENT,
comprising some of the finest sites in the district, and commanding extensive views of the Blue Mountains, Sydney suburbs, Parramatta, and surrounding district. It is reckoned to occupy the premier position in this well-known part.

COTTAGE RESIDENCE
of stone, having wide verandah and large accommodation, viz., large drawing and dining rooms, each room 24 x 22ft.; hall, 40ft. x 8ft.; bedrooms, one 21 x 15ft., two each 16 x 19ft., three 13 x 12ft.; one 11 x 10ft.; large well-known schoolroom, kitchen 17 x 17ft., pantry 12 x 9ft., storeroom 12 x 6ft., bathroom 16 x 12ft., knife and boot room, inner courtyard 50ft. x 30ft. The verandahs are very lengthy and wide, flagged with stones. There are conservatory, aviary, summer-house, and fernery; two cottages, each 3 rooms and kitchen, for overseer and groom, also labourer's cottage; U. G. dairy; coach-house, 40ft. 18ft., with saddle and harness cases; large granary over 30ft. x 18ft.; extensive stable, 70ft. x 18ft.; loose boxes, 14ft. x 14ft.; ample barn, sheds, large stock yards, fowl yard; piggery, with sheds, and flagged. The water supply is most abundant for every purpose, provided from a creek, dams, and wells. Boating can be enjoyed, thus showing that the place is suitable as a homestead for any gentleman, and having all the necessary appointments in the outoffices, men's cottages, &c., besides which, a large part of the property is planted

(ABOUT 40 ACRES)
as an excellent orangery and orchard, consisting of lemons, oranges, mandarins, apples, pears, plums, peaches, apricots, cherries, &c., &c., from which a large annual income is expected, so that a buyer could combine a superior residence in a delightful district, and reap a splendid revenue from the great area of orchard culture, which would represent a large capital sum. Part is cultivation paddock, 110 acres are cleared, fit for grazing, and the balance is bush land well timbered.

TO SQUATTERS, MERCHANTS, SPECULATORS, and SYNDICATES,
this is a chance not often occurring.

The house is approached by handsome entrance, the drives are planted with pines, Moreton Bay figs, chestnut, English oaks, laurel, bunya bunya, &c.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, the 11th APRIL, at 11 o'clock,
The above splendid property.

Cards to view, and full particulars of the above may be obtained from the Auctioneers. (828)

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

TO CLOSE PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNTS.

CHOICE SUBDIVISION BLOCKS,
in a
SUBURB
expected soon to have
RAILWAY COMMUNICATION.

To Building Societies, Speculators, and Syndicates.

KINGSGROVE, BEYOND CANTERBURY.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 25th April, at 11 o'clock,
KINGSGROVE beyond CANTERBURY.
Lot 1—FIFTY ACRES of HIGH LAND having large frontages to Canterbury-road and street at side.
Lot 2—31 acres 2rs. 8per., being blocks 33, 34, and part of 35, Kingsgrove Estate, at rear (but not adjoining) lot 1.
Lot 3—21a. 3r. 17p., Kingsgrove-road and two other roads.
Lot 4—6a. 2r. 20p., Northcote, Glenore, and Bismarck streets, just past lot 1.

Full particulars of these magnificent subdivision areas will shortly be published, in the meantime inspection invited. Plans showing position, &c., at the rooms.
⁂ The RAILWAY to EIGHT-MILE POST (Marrickville to Liverpool line) has been sanctioned by the Public Works Committee, the above-described blocks are situate close to the surveyed route.
A. ROFE, Esq., Elizabeth-street, is Solicitor of the Mortgagee.

COUNTY OF COOK.
BLUE MOUNTAIN LANDS.
By order of the Mortgagees.
WOODFORD Parish—33a. 9p., being lots 1 to 4 of sec. 1, and shown as part lot 21 on public map of parish, fronts Wellesley-road and Crystal Creek.
Ditto Parish—20a., part of portion 28 on public map of parish.
COOMASSIE Parish—24a. 3r. 39½p., being part of portion 46, public map of parish
LINDEN Parish—14a. 2r. 39½p., being lots 12 to 14, as part of portion 33 on public map of county.
By order of the Mortgagees. Torrens' Title.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 11th APRIL, at 11 o'clock,
The above. Sketches on view.
Messrs. Want, Johnson, and Co., Hunter-street, are Solicitors for the Mortgagees. (867)

TRAMWAY EXPECTED
to
DRUITT TOWN, ENFIELD.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

1st.—PETTITT'S THREE COTTAGES, on Land 1 ACRE, having 165ft. frontage to DEAN-STREET, depth 264ft., situated about 600ft. west of Redmyre-road.
2nd.—DEAN and MARIA STREETS, 1 ROOD 14 Perches, at corner of above streets.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 11th APRIL, at 11 o'clock,
The above, Pettitt's properties, Enfield, full particulars of which will shortly be published.
Messrs. JONES and JONES, Elizabeth-street, are Solicitors of the Mortgagees. (878)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

SUBURBAN LANDS.

1. NORTH WILLOUGHBY, NORTH SHORE.
Allotments 5 to 8 of section 8 of MOWBRAY PARK ESTATE, having 213¾ft. frontage to Marlborough-row, off FRENCH-ROAD, near North Sydney-road, with a depth of 200ft.

2. NORTH WILLOUGHBY, NORTH SHORE.
Allotments 33 to 36 of ALLEYNE PARK, having 132ft. frontage to PARK-ROAD, with a depth of 204ft., extending to and having 132ft. frontage to ALLEYNE-STREET.

3. CANTERBURY.—Corner Block of Land, in area about 6a. 3r. 20p., fronting Punchbowl-road and Wiley-lane, about 1 mile from the eight-mile post on proposed railway line recently passed by Works Committee.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction at the Rooms on FRIDAY, APRIL 11, at 11 o'clock,
The above good lands in suburbs, where sites should become valuable by being brought into easy reach of city by train or tram. Plans of position at Rooms.
H. A. LYONS, Esq., 84 Elizabeth-street, is Solicitor of Mortgagee. (885)

DISTRICT OF ILLAWARRA.
TO CAPITALISTS, FARMERS, SPECULATORS, AND OTHERS.
PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

By Order of the PROPRIETOR.

That splendid agricultural property
THE MARSHALL MOUNT ESTATE,
containing about 3230 acres of the richest and most fertile land in the far-famed ILLAWARRA DISTRICT.
The MARSHALL MOUNT ESTATE is situated within a short distance from the ALBION PARK RAILWAY STATION, and is only about 12 miles from the Town and Port of WOLLONGONG.
THE ESTATE is now in the hands of Messrs. Atchison and Schleicher for subdivision into lots to suit all classes of purchasers, and the land will be so apportioned into lots, that one buyer requiring a larger scope of land can secure several adjoining lots without having them intersected by roads.

MARSHALL MOUNT is gifted with a never-failing supply of fresh water, being traversed by several permanent creeks which will afford a constant supply to each farm
Its situation is in one of the healthiest climates in the colony, and has the great advantage of being within such an easy distance of the METROPOLIS, about 3 hours' run by railway, and is, therefore, semi-suburban. Portions of it are eminently adapted for country residences, while the rest of it cannot be surpassed for dairy farms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited (in conjunction D. L. Dymock, Esq., Jamberoo), have received instructions from the PROPRIETOR to sell by public auction, in WOLLONGONG,

IN OR ABOUT APRIL NEXT,

The above extensive and valuable property, subdivided into convenient farms.

The Day of Sale, Place, and Time will be duly announced.

THE MARSHALL MOUNT HOUSE
is a commodious brick building, with every convenience, and all necessary outhouses.

The Title is TORRENS' ACT.

TERMS EASY.
LITHOS. are now being prepared.

Further particulars will shortly be published. (779)

EXTRAORDINARY SALE.

BY ORDER OF THE LIQUIDATORS
of the New South Wales Property Investment Company, Limited,
MUST BE SOLD
even at sacrificing prices.

HOMES for CLERKS, MECHANICS, &c.
BUILDING ALLOTMENTS
in
various convenient Railway Suburbs,
viz.:
HURSTVILLE, AUBURN,
LEICHHARDT, SUMMER HILL,
HUNTER'S HILL, MARRICKVILLE,
MOUNT DRUITT, and KINGSWOOD, near Penrith.
⁂ A detailed advertisement will appear shortly. Meantime any information can be obtained at the Rooms of the Auctioneers, Pitt-street, Sydney.
THIS is certainly a CHANCE not often given to the buying public, whether
for SPECULATION or HOMES,
and consideration is invited of the several
HOUSE, COTTAGE, and LANDED Properties,
ALL ARE FOR POSITIVE SALE.
TERMS will be made Easy.

SPECIAL SALE DAY BY AUCTION,
MONDAY, 14th APRIL, 1890,
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited. (886)

HOTEL PROPERTY FOR SALE.

A. WOOD has received instructions from Mr. Joseph Rich to sell by public auction, at Grenfell, on
TUESDAY, APRIL 1, 1890,
RICH'S ROYAL HOTEL,
GRENFELL.
A substantial two-storeyed brick building, containing 30 rooms, billiard-room (with two tables), stock-in-trade, and furniture complete.

The Royal Hotel is a corner property, having a frontage to Main-street of 75ft., George-street 100ft., and Forbes-street 160ft.
A permanent business averaging
£100 per WEEK.

The proprietor is leaving the district, and has decided to sell the above property by public auction on TUESDAY, April 1, 1890.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
Sheriff's Office, Sydney,
13th March, 1890.
COX v. NOBLE, JOSEPH.
ON WEDNESDAY, the twenty-sixth day of March, 1890, at noon, unless the Writ of Fieri Facias herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by public auction, under the verandah of the Supreme Court, King-street, Sydney,
All the right, title, and interest of Joseph Noble, the defendant herein, of, in, and to all that piece or parcel of land, situate in the village of Longbottom, parish of Concord, and county of Cumberland, containing by admeasurement 32 perches, be the same more or less, commencing at a point on the corner of lot 9 on the Old Parramatta-road, running north, and bounded by lots 19 and 9, 344 feet to Burton-street; on the north by Burton-street, running westerly 49½ feet to allotment No. 17; on the west by allotment No. 17 and part of allotment 11, 197 feet to Gibb's property, and thence by a line along Gibb's property 150 feet 3 inches to the Parramatta-road; and on the south by that road 18 feet to the point of commencement.
Terms, cash.
CHARLES COWPER,
Sheriff.
T. B. ROLIN, Plaintiff's Attorney,
86 Pitt-street, Sydney.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
Sheriff's Office, Sydney,
27th February, 1890.
LEE HING v. HUDSON, HENRY CHARLES.
ON TUESDAY, the eighth day of April, 1890, at noon, unless the Writ of Fieri Facias herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by public auction, under the verandah of the Supreme Court, King-street, Sydney,
All the right, title, and interest of Henry Charles Hudson, the defendant herein, of, in, and to all that piece or parcel of land situate, lying, and being in the parish of Petersham, county of Cumberland, and colony of New South Wales, be the hereinafter several dimensions a little more or less, being parts of lot forty-seven and forty-eight of O'Connelltown Estate at Camperdown, commencing at a point on the south-east side of Dowling-street twenty feet north-easterly from the north corner of lot 49, and bounded on the north-west by Dowling-street bearing north-easterly twenty-six feet, on the north-east by Mrs. King's other part of lot forty-seven bearing south-easterly eighty feet, on the south-east by lots seventy-eight and seventy-seven bearing south-westerly twenty-six feet, and on the south-west by Mrs. King's other part of lot forty-eight bearing north-westerly eighty feet to the point of commencement.
Terms, Cash,
CHARLES COWPER, Sheriff.
H. W. FORSYTH,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
139 York-street, Sydney.

In the Metropolitan and Hunter District Court,
Holden at Sydney.
GRANT v. DAVIDSON.
ON WEDNESDAY, the 26th day of MARCH, 1890, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to a Writ of Fieri Facias, issued in this cause, unless the same be previously satisfied, the goods and chattels of the abovenamed, viz.:—Furniture and plant of an organ manufacturer, will be sold by public auction at William-street, St. Leonards East.
Dated this 25th day of March, 1890. J. BISHOP, Bailiff.

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Funerals.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mrs. JOHN BOYD, Sen., of Newcastle, are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral; to move from the Mortuary, Redfern station, THIS DAY, at half-past 1, for the Necropolis.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. GEO. HAWKE, Pyrmont, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved MOTHER-IN-LAW, Mrs. John Boyd, sen.; to move from the Mortuary, Redfern station, THIS DAY, at half-past 1, for the Necropolis.

THE FRIENDS of the late WILLIAM ANDERSON, baker, late of Parramatta-road, are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, 30, Jarrett-street, Leichhardt, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Petersham Station, and thence to Presbyterian Cemetery, Necropolis. WOOD and CO.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mrs. MARY A. PURDON are informed her Funeral will leave her late residence, 44 Waverley-road, Woollahra, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, to Waverley Cemetery. CHARLES KINSELA, 116 Oxford-street; and 765 George-street, opposite Christ Church.

Meetings.

THE Annual MEETING of the University Football Club will be held at the Oxford Hotel, on WEDNESDAY, the 26th, at 8 o'clock. Committee Meeting at 7.30.

UNIVERSITY UNION.—The Annual MEETING of the above will be held at the University on FRIDAY, April 25, at 8 p.m. Professor MacCallum will preside and deliver the Annual Address. All members of the University invited.
W. LESLIE CURNOW, Hon. Secretary.

WAVERLEY DEBATING CLUB.—A MEETING of gentlemen favourable to the formation of an Unsectarian Debating Club in Waverley will be held in the Council-chambers, THIS (Wednesday) EVENING, at 8 p.m. Business: To adopt rules, elect officers, &c. Alfred Allen, Esq., M.P., will preside. A. RICKARD, Hon. Sec. pro tem.

NO. 1 L. O. L. MEETS in the Protestant Hall, Castlereagh-street, THIS (Wednesday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock. Every member requested to attend. Visitors cordially invited. A. J. PRING, Secretary.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.

Established 1849.

FORTY-FIRST ANNUAL MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Forty-first Annual MEETING of the Members of this Society will be held in the Vestibule of the Town Hall, George-street, Sydney, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 1890, for the purpose of

1. Receiving the report of the directors on the business of the society for the year ended December 31, 1889.
2. Electing two directors in lieu of James R. Hill, Esq., and J. T. Walker, Esq., who retire in terms of bylaw 15, and of whom J. T. Walker, Esq., only is eligible for re-election.
3. Electing an auditor in lieu of Neville Dowling, Esq., who retires in terms of bylaw 28, and is not eligible for re-election.
4. Declaring the amount of the divisible surplus for the year ended December 31, 1889.

The bylaws provide that no member shall at any annual meeting be eligible for election to the office of director or auditor unless notice in writing of his being a candidate shall have been given to the Board or to the Secretary at least 40 clear days previous to such meeting.
By order of the Board.
RICHARD TEECE, Secretary.
March 11, 1890.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY.

Established 1849.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special General MEETING of the Members of this Society will be held in the Vestibule of the Town Hall, George-street, Sydney, immediately after the close of the Forty-first Annual Meeting, convened for WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, 1890, for the purpose of considering the propriety of amending bylaws 11, 12, 45, 46, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54.

Printed slips showing the proposed amendments may be obtained on personal or written application at any office or agency of the Society in any of the colonies.
By order of the Board.
RICHARD TEECE, Secretary.
March 11, 1890.

SYDNEY LLOYDS UNDERWRITERS.

A MEETING of the Members of this Association will be held at the Head Office, Commercial-chambers, Bond-street, Sydney, on FRIDAY, March 28, 1890, at noon.

BUSINESS:
To receive statement of accounts for half-year ending 28th February, 1890.
To transact such other business as may be brought forward at the meeting in connection with the Association.
S. R. TRAILL, General Managing Underwriter.
Sydney, March 12, 1890.

THE CENTRAL BROKEN HILL SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General MEETING of the Central Broken Hill Silver-mining Company, Limited, will be held at the Mercantile Mutual-chambers, 120 Pitt-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the 27th day of March, 1890, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, when the subjoined resolutions will be proposed. Should the resolutions be passed by the required majority they will be submitted for confirmation, as special resolutions, to a second Extraordinary Meeting, which will be subsequently convened.

RESOLUTIONS.

That the following articles, Number 123 to 142, be additional Articles of Association of the Central Broken Hill Silver-mining Company, Limited:—

123. The Board of Directors are hereby authorised to open branch offices of the Company at Melbourne, in the colony of Victoria, at Adelaide, in the province of South Australia, and at such other places as shall appear to them desirable.
124. The said branch offices of the Company shall be under the control of the Board of Directors at Sydney.
125. The said branch offices shall be managed by a local Board of Directors, consisting of two persons, each holding at least two hundred and fifty shares in the Company.
126. Without prejudice to the general powers of the Board of Directors at Sydney, it is hereby expressly declared that they shall with respect to each branch office have the following powers, that is to say (a), to appoint, and at their discretion, remove or suspend such secretaries, clerks, or servants as they may think fit, and to determine their duties and fix their salaries and emoluments, and to require security in such instances and to such amount as they think fit; (b) to take on lease or hire such buildings or offices as they think fit.
127. The first two Directors appointed to manage any branch shall be appointed by the Board of Directors in Sydney.
128. An annual general meeting of the members registered in any branch office shall be held at such time and place, in the city where such branch office is situate, and such notice shall be given thereof, as the Board of Directors at Sydney may from time to time decide.
129. At each annual general meeting of the members registered at any branch office, one director shall retire, and at the first of such annual general meetings, unless the local directors agree amongst themselves, the director to retire shall be determined by lot. In every subsequent year the director who has been longest in office shall retire. A retiring director shall be eligible for re-election.
130. At every local annual general meeting at which any local director retires, such meeting shall fill up the vacated office; but if such vacated office is not so filled up, the retiring director shall continue in office as if he had been elected at such meeting.
131. Five members present in person or by proxy at any local general meeting shall constitute a quorum.
132. Should a casual vacancy occur in a local directorate, such casual vacancy shall be filled up by the Board of Directors in Sydney.
133. Each local director shall be entitled to receive as a remuneration for his services the sum of £52 per annum, or such other sum as the company in general meeting in Sydney shall from time to time decide.
134. It shall be competent for the Sydney Board of Directors to declare the office of any local director vacant for any of the causes mentioned in article 80.
135. Each local director shall, when in Sydney, be entitled to attend and vote at all meetings of the Sydney Board, and shall at such meetings have all the powers that any Sydney Director possesses; and when in Sydney, if he gives notice of his Sydney address to the Sydney office, the manager shall cause notices of all directors' meetings at Sydney to be sent to him.
136. At every branch office so opened as aforesaid, a separate register of members shall be kept, in which shall be entered the following particulars:—
1. The names, addresses, and occupation (if any) of the members whose shares are registered in the colony or province in which such branch office is situate; the number of shares held, distinguishing each share by its number; and the amount paid or agreed to be considered as paid on the shares of each member.
2. The date at which the name of any person was entered in the register as a member.
3. The date at which any person ceased to be a member.
137. A duplicate of every local register shall be kept at the registered office of the Company situate at Sydney, and it shall be the duty of the local secretary to inform the Sydney office from time to time of every change in such register.
138. Any shareholder desiring his shares to be registered at any branch office may make application in writing therefor to the principal office in Sydney in the following form:—
I, A. B., of , being a holder of shares in the Central Broken Hill Silver-mining Company, Limited, scrip certificate number do hereby apply to have my said shares registered in the local office at
Dated this day of , 18
(Signature of Shareholders)..........
Occupation..........
Address..........
139. Should the Board of Directors in Sydney consent to the application for change of register, a fresh share certificate shall be issued by the local Board to the member on his surrendering his old scrip, and thereafter all dealings with such shares shall be at the local branch office.
140. Every share certificate issued by a branch office shall be signed by one local Director and the local secretary.
141. Articles 15, 16, 17, 18, and 19 of the Articles of Association as to the transfer of shares, and articles 20, 21, 22, and 23, as to transmission of shares at Sydney, shall apply to the local branches, the local Directors having the same powers with respect to such transfers and transmissions as the Board of Directors have in Sydney, with respect to the transfers and transmissions of shares registered in Sydney; but both local Directors must concur in all acts of any local Board, and if both local Directors do not concur the matter shall be referred to the Sydney Board, whose decision shall be final. Provided, however, that one local Director may at all times pass any transfers, and cause the same to be registered, and issue fresh share certificates, signed by himself and the local secretary.
142. Dividends shall be payable at the local branch offices on all shares registered at such local offices.
That in Article 6 the word "one" shall be substituted for the word "two," so that hereafter it shall only be necessary for the Manager and one Director to sign share certificates.
Dated the first day of March, 1890.
By order of the Board.
LEONARD DODDS, Manager.
No. 131 Pitt-street, Sydney.

SOUTH SYDNEY NATIONAL PROTECTION ASSOCIATION.

A PUBLIC MEETING will be held at the London Tavern Hotel, Elizabeth-street, on FRIDAY EVENING, the 28th instant, in connection with the Revision of the New Electoral Roll. Messrs. TOOHEY, TRAILL, and EDMUNDS, Ms.L.A., and other prominent Protectionists, will address the electors.

The Secretary will be in attendance at the Exchange Hotel, Crown-street, on MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, and FRIDAY EVENINGS;

At the Royal Oak Hotel, Myrtle and Abercrombie streets, on TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY EVENINGS;

And DAILY at the Rooms, No. 1 Albion-street, from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m., where the Roll can be seen and all information obtained.
P. H. KIRBY, Secretary.

THE SUNNY CORNER SILVER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.

Shareholders are requested to take notice that, in accordance with the special Resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of shareholders, held on 3rd day of March, 1890, they are entitled to take up the New Issue of Shares in the proportion of one share for every two now held by them, on payment of the sum of two shillings and sixpence (2s 6d) per share, provided that applications are sent in to this office, on or before the 31st day of March, 1890.

Forms of application may be obtained at this Office, or at the Office of the Company, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney.

The Transfer Books will be Closed from the 26th to 31st March, to allow of allotment being made.
By order of the Board.
ST. JOHN A. BIGGS, Secretary.
34 Queen-street, Melbourne, 10th March, 1890.

THE BROKEN HILL SOUTH BLOCK 5 COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Exchange, Bridge-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the 17th April, 1890, at 2.30 p.m., for the following business, of which due notice has been given in a requisition of shareholders dated 19th March, 1890:—
1. To consider and pass a resolution to increase the number of Directors from five to twelve, or to such other number not exceeding twelve, as the meeting may decide, and to determine in what rotation such increased number is to go out of office.
2. To Elect such increased number of Directors.
3. To confirm the Minutes of the Meeting.
By order of the Board.
J. J. WESTON, Manager.
29 O'Connell-street, Sydney, 22nd March, 1890.

NORTH-EAST MOUNT MORGAN GOLD-MINING COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General MEETING of Shareholders will be held THIS DAY, 26th instant, at noon, at the Company's Office, Post Office-chambers, Sydney, for the purpose of confirming or otherwise the following resolutions adopted at the Extraordinary General Meeting held this day, viz:—
That as in consequence of the non-fulfilment of the labour conditions the Company's lease has been forfeited, this Company be now wound up by voluntary liquidation.
That G. S. Buzacott be appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.
That a new company be formed, giving all old shareholders the right to come in upon equal terms.
That a Provisional Committee be appointed to settle terms and conditions for such new Company, and to submit same to a General Meeting of Shareholders, such Committee to consist of Messrs. E. C. Batt, A. W. Love, Richard Teece, J. T. Walker, and C. H. Williams.
That the scheme for the formation of the new Company, as proposed in the circular of February 19, sent to the shareholders, be adopted.
By order of the Board.
G. S. BUZACOTT, Manager.

MOUNT SHEBA GOLD-SLUICING COMPANY, No Liability.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First General MEETING of Shareholders of the Mount Sheba Gold-Sluicing Company, No Liability, will be held at the registered office of the company, 247 George-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 26th instant, at 3 o'clock p.m.,
To receive the report of the board of directors, and to transact such other business as may be brought forward in terms of the agreement and rules and regulations.
By Order of the Board,
EDWARD H. C. BRISTOWE, Secretary.
247 George-street, Sydney, March 7, 1890.

STAR OF THE EAST COMPANY, No Liability, REDAN, SEBASTOPOL.

The Ordinary Half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders in the above Company is convened to be held at the City Bank Hall, corner Collins and Elizabeth streets, Melbourne, on MONDAY, 31st MARCH, 1890, at 4 p.m.

BUSINESS:
To receive Directors' Report and Balance Sheet
To elect Directors (5)
To elect Auditors (2)
To transact any other ordinary half-yearly business.
Transfer Books close on THURSDAY, 27th instant, at 5 p.m.
Nominations for the Board for the ensuing 6 months must be lodged with the Manager not later than THURSDAY, 27th instant, at 5 p.m.
E. W. SPAIN, Manager.
375 Flinders-lane, Melbourne.

Educational.

A LADY wishes for Music PUPILS in a school. E. J. V. B., Herald Office.

A LADY, living in good climate, would take a little BOY to educate with two others; accomplished governess. Every home care. Apply, in first place, A. B., Crotona, Queen-street, Woollahra.

ASHFORD COLLEGE, WYLDE-STREET, POTTS POINT.
Next quarter commences April 1st.
Dancing Class conducted by Mr. West.
Gymnastics by Miss Foster.
Non-pupils may attend either class.

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BOYLE'S Singing Class, Monday Next, Carrington Hall, next Protestant Hall, Castlereagh-st., 10s 6d qtr.

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To Teachers of Music, Painting, &c.
Two excellent ROOMS available, rent moderate.

BY permission of the Honourable the Minister of Instruction, Madame L. DE LA FOREST will conduct PRIVATE FRENCH CLASSES at the Technical College, Pitt-street, on Tuesdays and Wednesdays, from 4 to 6 o'clock. Terms for ONE HOUR PER WEEK, 10s 6d PER QUARTER. Private address, 80 Womerah-avenue, Darlinghurst.

C. REGINALD TOMS, at Paling's, on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday afternoons.

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Camden is the acknowledged sanatorium of New South Wales. Boarders limited to 20, who receive all home comforts, under Mrs. Crabbe's personal supervision. Magnificent house and grounds. Prep. special for com. life. Practical bookkeeping and shorthand. Prospectus, references, &c., posted. Quarter dates from entrance.
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ERNEST HENRY, of Sydney University, undertakes of an evening to prepare Candidates for Civil Service, Junior, Senior, Matriculation, and other Examinations. Yarrowa, Simmons-street, Enmore.

EVENING CLASSES for Junior, Senior, and Law Matriculation. Fresh Classes just commenced for the July, September, and November Examinations.
Mr. J. N. DALTON, 9 Upper William-street, Darlinghurst.

FRENCH.—Monsieur Perier visits schools and families, prep. for Univ. exam. Darlinghurst-road 13.

FRENCH.—Schools and Private, Mons. Buiteau, Evening Lecturer Sydney University. Musset, Glebe P.

GIRTON COLLEGE, Kellett-street, Bayswater-road. Principal: Miss Wright. New term 1st April.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL, WINDSOR.

The Windsor Grammar School offers at a moderate expense a liberal EDUCATION to boys preparing for the LEARNED PROFESSIONS or for BUSINESS PURSUITS. Classes for little boys and backward pupils of any age, who receive SPECIAL INSTRUCTION. A few vacancies for boarders. New Quarter, 1st April.
Rev. B. KEENAN, Head Master.

MATRIC. &c., EXAMS., &c.—Mr. Weiss, F.E.I., has passed 85 p.c. of his pupils. 177A Liverpool-st.

MISS BIDDELL, 64 Fitzroy-street. Lessons music, singing, vamping, painting. Letters w'ten, char. read.

MISS EMMA WANGENHEIM, Teacher of Singing. Vacancy three pupils. 260 Victoria-street.

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MISS BESSIE ROYAL, Teacher of Voice Production and Singing, receives Pupils at Argyle-terrace, 32 Pitt-street, Redfern. Terms on application.

MEMORY.—LOISETTE'S SYSTEM.—"I attended your lectures in Cambridge, and was impressed with the possibilities of improvement to memory which they open up."—R. N. Ingle, M.A., M.D. Cambridge University, Lecturer in Midwifery (Jan. 1890). "I intend to educate my son entirely on your system."—Rev. C. E. Cockin, M.A., Rector of Lea. (Had lessons by Post.) "Great advantage to strong memory; incalculable aid to weak one."—Dr. J. M. Buckley. "Able to give gist of book after reading it once."—Rev. J. M. Macdonald, B.A. Oxon., M.A. Sydney. "An excellent travelling companion."—Captain J. B. Haye, R.N. "Invaluable."—J. J. Francis, Q.C., Hongkong. "Does not involve much labour."—Statesman, 23rd Oct., 1887. "Interest in lectures unparalleled."—Oxford Review, 1st March, 1889. Prospectus free. One Pupil, £5 15s; Ten Pupils, £1 4s each. Prof. LOISETTE, 37 New Oxford-street, London, England.

NEGLECTED EDUCATION.—Business subjects, &c., Ladies, Gent's. Mr. Weiss, F.E.I., 177A Liverpool-st.

NEGLECTED EDUCATION.—Private Lessons given by a Lady, moderate. 358 Riley-st., Surry Hills.

PRIVATE TUITION.—Mr. J. KINLOCH, M.A., since the Univ. Exam., vacancies for 2 VISITING and 2 RESIDENT pupils. FIVE passed this month. 52 Alberto-terrace, Darlinghurst-road.

PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL, SYDNEY.

An Entrance EXAMINATION will be held at the School on THURSDAY, MARCH 27, at 9 a.m. No scholarships will be available in connection with this examination. Candidates are requested to send in their names.
J. COATES, Headmaster.

PREPARATORY School for Boys; Classes for Girls, all ages. Mrs. Palmer, Woodstock-st., Bondi.

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New Quarter commences April 1.

PROSPECTUS ON APPLICATION.

SINGING.—Miss Raper removed to 252 Victoria-ter., Victoria-st., Darlinghurst. Lessons resu. March 17.

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THE NEXT QUARTER BEGINS ON APRIL 1.
EDWARD HARRIS, D.D., Headmaster.

UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY.

UNIVERSITY EXTENSION LECTURES.

The following courses of University Extension Lectures will be delivered at the TOWN HALL during Lent Term:—
1. Mental Philosophy.—Subject: "Introduction to the Study of Philosophy." On WEDNESDAY EVENINGS, at 8 o'clock, commencing on Wednesday, the 26th of March. Lecturer—Professor ANDERSON, M.A.
2. English History.—Subject: "The History of Europe from 1453 to 1600" (the portion prescribed for the Senior Public Examination in September next). On TUESDAY EVENINGS, at 8 o'clock, commencing on Tuesday, the 25th of March. Lecturer—Mr. R. F. IRVINE, M.A.

Each course consists of ten lectures, and concludes with an examination in the subject of the lectures. Those who pass the examination satisfactorily will receive University Certificates to that effect. No student will be admitted to the final examination unless he shall have satisfied the lecturer that he has followed the lectures with attention.

Cards of admission to the lectures may be obtained at the University, from Messrs. Turner and Henderson, 16 Hunter-street, and from Messrs. Stewart and Co., 470 George-street.

Fee, 5s for each course.
H. E. BARFF, Registrar.

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BOROUGH OF WATERLOO.

APPLICATIONS will be received until 4 p.m. on MONDAY, 31st instant, from persons competent to fill the office of Overseer of Works to this Borough. Applicants to state salary required.

Applications to be endorsed "Overseer of Works," and to be addressed to the Mayor. Schedule of duties can be seen on application here during office hours. Copies of testimonials only to be sent.
JAS. CAMPBELL, Council Clerk.
Town Hall, Elizabeth-street, Waterloo.

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CARRINGTON HOSPITAL FOR CONVALESCENTS.—A MATRON is required for this institution; she must be a fully trained nurse; salary, £150 per annum; two trained NURSES will also be required. Application to be made in writing, addressed to the Honorary Secretaries, C. C. C. Hospital, No. 18 Victoria Arcade, Castlereagh-street, before noon on SATURDAY, 29th March.
ALFRED ROBERTS, JAMES O. FAIRFAX, Hon. Secs.

DECORATORS.—Wanted, a first-class Pencil HAND. Apply 151A William-street.

DRAPER.—Wanted, experienced single MAN, for the rivers. 9 to 10 a.m., W. H. Starr and Co., Barrack-st.

DRESSMAKERS.—Wanted, good Bodice Hands, also Improvers. Mrs. Goold, 60 Wynyard-square.

DRESSMAKING.—APPRENTICES wanted. David Jones and Company, George and Barrack streets.

DRESSMAKING.—Wanted, good Bodice and Skirt HANDS. Miss Kyle, Crystal-street, Petersham.

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APPLICATIONS are hereby called from Persons duly qualified for the Position of Resident DOCTOR to the above institution.
Salary, £350 per annum, with a probable increase.
Applications with testimonials will be received by undersigned up to the 23rd April, 1890; and any information may be had from
B. F. BUNNY, Secretary Mount Morgan Hospital.
Mount Morgan, March 12, 1890.

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SIR MOSES MONTEFIORE JEWISH HOME.—Wanted, a COLLECTOR. Applications, in writing, to be sent to the President, Mr. H. SOLOMON, Meyers and Solomon, George-street.

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SYDNEY HOSPITAL.—A VACANCY has occurred in the Honorary Surgical Staff through the resignation of Dr. Alex. M'Cormick, honorary surgeon.
Candidates for the appointment are requested to forward applications, with diplomas, &c., addressed to the undersigned, not later than 10 a.m. on MONDAY, 28th April.
WALTER HULL, Medical Superintendent.

TAILORESSES.—Apprentices and Improvers for coats, also good Baste Hands. A. Walker, 38 Pitt-st.

TAILORESSES.—Good Trousers Hands wanted; work indoors. Graham and Fidler, 599 George-street.

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C. JONES, Secretary, N. S. W. Typographical Association.

TO MECHANICAL ENGINEERS.

APPLICATIONS will be received until NOON, TUESDAY, April 8th, by the Borough Council, Wagga Wagga, from persons willing to act as Working Engineer for the Wagga Wagga Waterworks.
Applicants must be thoroughly competent mechanical engineers, conversant with the working of condensing engines, and must submit testimonials and state salary required.
The Council provides residence, light, and fuel.
(Signed) C. H. CROAKER, Mayor.

WANTED, Tailoresses, any quantity Trousers Hands, Apprentices for same. 535 Kent-st. South.

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WANTED, Plumber, young man, G. I. work, country job 8.30 a.m., 152 Regent-street, Redfern.

WANTED, a Daily Governess, conv. French req. Apply by letter, Mrs. E. W. Knox, Bellevue Hill.

WANTED, first-class MILLINER and Saleswoman. Apply by letter to James G. Brown, Dubbo.

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WANTED, BRICKLAYER and Labourer. Allum's job, Penkivil-street, Bondi.

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WANTED, a good ENGINE FITTER, come early. Johns, engineer, Botany-road, Alexandria.

WANTED, CARPENTER, wages 6s 6d per day. 66 Engine-street, 7 a.m. sharp.

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WANTED, after Easter, a Senior Resident Lady TEACHER, competent to teach music and to take charge of boarders; good discipline and experience indispensable. Applications will be received up to March 29. Apply to the PRESIDENT, Wesleyan Ladies' College, Burwood.

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WANTED, SITUATION, as Cook or Baker, 10 years' experience, own yeast. L.O.L., Herald Office.

WANTED, Situation, management of business or office, 1st-class rfs. Bond for £1000. Lex, P.O., Manly.

WANTED, by young Lady, SITUATION as Needlewoman, assist light duties, city. May, Herald.

WANTED, by Married Couple, SITUATION, man general, wife cook or cook-laundress; refs.; station preferred. 19 King-street, Newtown.

WANTED, by widow lady, as COMPANION and Useful; wages not so much object as home; treated as one of the family; open 2 days. Apply 115 George street West.

WANTED by Married Couple, SITUATION as Caretakers or General Servant, for offices; good references. A. M., care of Mrs. Holland, Union-street, Balmain.

YOUNG Man, groom and coachman, seeks Situation, last ref. 2 years. J. H., 118 Castlereagh-street.

YOUNG Lady wants SITUATION, office, or make up bills. Apply A. M., Haymarket P. O.

YOUNG Man, 26, desires Situation as cutter in country, willing to sew. E. P., Herald Office.

YOUNG Woman wants Situation as General Servant, quiet place, sm. fam. J. J., Neutral Bay P.O.

YOUNG Lady desires Engagement useful capacity, good needlewoman, sub. M. H. S., 41 Bayswater-road.

Servants Wanted

A COMPETENT Housepainter wanted, piecework. New terrace adj. Horticultural Hotel, Pt. Pr.-rd., Pad.

A COMPETENT Housemaid required, personal refs. Bet. 11 and 1 to-day, Stoneleigh, Liverpool-rd., Sum. H.

A COMPETENT House and Parlour Maid, references. 197 Liverpool-street, Hyde Park.

ACTIVE Midday Waitress wanted. Apply 9 o'clock, to Miss Leiper, the Ceylon Tea Co., 354, George-st.

A GENERAL Servant req., good wages. Glenshee, Devonshire-st., Croydon, off Liverpool-road.

A GENERAL Servant, small family, refs. required. Sherman's Centennial Boot Shop, 733 George-st. S.

AN Elderly PERSON, or little GIRL, for small family; good home. 143 William-street.

A NURSE to assist in housework wanted. Apply Doongalla, George-st., off Wardell-rd., Marrickville.

A RESPECTABLE Girl as General Servant wanted. Mrs. Bean, Etonville, Boyce-street, Glebe Point.

AT Mrs. Hanney's, 121 C'reagh-st.—Useful Men, milk, drive; Coachmen, Waiters, early; 2 Chinese Cs.

AT Miss Butler's, 112 Market-st.—Wanted, Barmaid, first-class hotel, town; 3 H. Maids and Waitress.

A THOROUGH General SERVANT wanted; good references. Hapsburg, 250 Liverpool street.

AT Mrs. Sheppardes, 116 Bathurst-st., C. and L.'s, H. and P. Nurses, Gen. Servants, Chinese Cooks, pages.

AT LADIES' AGENCY, 114 top Hunter-st.—Young Cooks, useful Boy, House and Parlour Maids.

AT the Home, 83 Market-st.—Wanted, Baker's Carter, Syd. ref., £2; Improver to H'dresser, c'try., &c.

AT Mrs. Donnelly's, 169 Castlereagh-st.—Wanted, Housemaid, hotel; 4 Generals, no washing, good wages.

A YOUNG useful GIRL about 14 wanted. Mrs. Bean, Etonville, Boyce-street, Glebe Point.

A YOUNG Woman, as Cook and Laundress, required; small family; refs. 89 Macleay-st., Potts Point.

A YOUNG GIRL, to assist with housework and two children. 93 Surry-street, Darlinghurst.

A RELIABLE young Woman wanted as HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID, where housemaid is kept. Apply between 11 and 12.
DAVID JONES and CO.

AT Miss Butler's, 112 Market-st.—Wanted, Nurse, gent.'s house, suburbs; House and Parlour Maid, gent.'s house, country, good place, 14s; Parlourmaid, gent.'s house, country; Cook and Laundress, station, 20s; H. P. M.

AT 108 Bathurst-st., Gov. Institute.—Wanted, good plain Cook, 25s, city; young C. L., 18s; H. P. Maid, 14s, hotel 14s; C. L., 20s, station; G. Servant, 17s, station M. Couple, groom and gardener, wife cook, £80; English Coachman, wife C. L., for Tasmania; exp. Indian Cook, 25s; Groom, 15s; 2 Men, dairy farm, £40, good milker.

BARMAID, young, for private bar, with connection. Apply between 12 and 1, 191 Castlereagh-street.

CELLARMAN wanted; none need apply unless thoroughly acquainted with col. wines. Box 719, G.P.O.

COACHMAN wanted immediately. Mr. Josephson or Mr. Miller, Denman-chambers, Phillip-street.

COMPETENT Waitress, holidays given. Carrington Rooms, over Liverpool Arms, corner Pitt and King sts.

COOKS, 3 wanted, 16s, 20s, country sub., H. P. Maids, 15s, Generals. Miss Tripe, 207 Castlereagh-st.

COUNTRY HOME offered Lady for domestic help and companionship. Apply 12 Bond-street, city.

DRESSMAKER, take rooms, fitted, connection, use everything, £1 wk, going order. 601 George-st.

GENTEEL Boys wanted, refs. required. English and American Company, Pitt-street Arcade.

GENERAL req. by widow Lady and little girl, light wash, gd. home, 15s, after 10. 191 Castlereagh-street.

GENERAL, 4 in family, town, another kept. After 10, 130 Phillip-street.

GENERAL SERVANT wanted, in small family; references. Apply Ingalara, Victoria-street, Ashfield.

GIRL, respectable, learn Trousers-making, assist housework, hours from 9 to 7. 250 Harris-st., Ultimo.

GIRL wanted, to mind two children (walking). Mrs. Wigzell, 128 William-street, Woolloomooloo.

HORSE and CAB to Rent. 26 Grose-street, Glebe, off Bay-street.

HOUSE and Parlour Maid, for Double Bay. 10 o'clock sharp. The Girton Agency, 130 Phillip-street.

HOUSEMAID for the country, good wages Prot.; also Gen. Servant. Apply early, 161 King-st., Newtown.

LAUNDRESS.—Wanted, comp. Laundress, Thurs. morn. Mrs. E. W. Knox, Bellevue Hill, Double Bay.

LISMORE HOSPITAL.

Required for the above, a Married Couple, without encumbrances, as WARDSMAN and MATRON. Salary, £80 per annum. Duties: To attend on the patients, including cooking and housework.
Applications, addressed to the undersigned, with references, received up to Monday, the 31st March.
C. E. TAYLOR, Hon. Secretary.

MAN wanted, drive, for woodyard, small connection, good wages. Williamson, 63 Denham-st., Glebe.

MOTHER'S HELP, good Needlewoman, and General Servant wanted, good home to two suitable persons, references required. Apply Mrs. Hall, Merryoola, Berry-street, North Shore.

NURSEGIRL wanted, accompanied by parent. Apply Compagnoni Catering Co., 164 Pitt-street.

PETERSHAM.—Wanted, young Person as Nurse, 3 children, assist light h. work. Berry Ville, P'matta-rd.

SMALL BOY wanted to run errands. H. Dahms and Co., 6 King-street Arcade.

THE Servants' Home, 83 Market-st., for Engagements and Residence till suited. F. Herbert, manager.

USEFUL Girl or Help, 15, for Waverley, 3 in fam., work very light, comf. home. Meredith, 116 Market-st.

WANTED, a good General Servant, good wages, three in family. Chatsworth, Union-st., North Shore.

WANTED, competent YACHTSMAN to take charge of 10-ton yacht. Address Yacht, Herald Office.

WANTED, Cook and Laundress and Housemaid. Thursday, Middleton, Islington, Avoca-st., Randwick.

WANTED, first-class SHIRT IRONER. Apply 9 Milton-terrace, Dawes Point.

WANTED, generally useful MAN. Apply, 10, Chowder Bay Office, Arbitration-st., Circular Quay.

WANTED, strong BOY as hall porter, refs.; also, one to be useful. Victoria Coffee Palace, Pitt-street.

WANTED, HANDS, distribute circulars. Apply 8.30 a.m., 219 Clarence-street.

WANTED, WAITRESS. Apply Victoria Coffee Palace, Pitt-street.

WANTED, two active BOYS for Bottle Washing. Australian Brewery, Bourke-street, Waterloo.

WANTED, young Lady as MOTHER'S HELP, for Hay. Apply Alpha, Post-office, Rockdale.

WANTED, smart FOLDER and Hanger-out. 39 Pitt-street, Redfern.

WANTED, Bricklayer's LABOURER. Apply early, new bank, near station, Burwood.

WANTED, young GIRL, useful. Apply at once, Richmond, Newland-st., Waverley. Tram fare paid.

WANTED, steady, respectable young Man, Groom, gen. useful. Apply 6 p.m., 449 Darling-rd., Balmain.

WANTED, comp. Gen. Servant, another kept, 4 family. Mrs. Bent, Glencoe, Torrington-rd., Strath'd.

WANTED, COOK and LAUNDRESS, for 3 gentlemen, to keep house. 80 Alberto-ter., D'hurst.

WANTED, competent HOUSEMAID. Apply before 1 or after 7. Mrs. Duncan, Lorne, Darling Pt.

WANTED, a little GIRL, to mind a baby for a few weeks; sleep at home. 52 Phillip-street.

WANTED, a stylish BARMAID. Apply Bristol Hotel, King and York street.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT, no cooking or washing. Devon House, 11 Clarence-street.

WANTED, a Female as Mother's Help and generally useful. 4 Walker-street, Redfern.

WANTED, at once, Laundress or Laun. Man, H. and Parlour Maid. Mrs. Groves, 24 Castlereagh-st.

WANTED, sober MAN, cook and useful, country, wages 10s. 11 o'clock, 339 Sussex-street.

WANTED, Cook and L. Apply, with refs., 10 to 1, Mrs. Scarvell, 9 Tamworth Mansions, Eliza'th Bay-rd.

WANTED, young Girl, as General SERVANT, no washing. Apply Mrs. ALLAN, No. 4 Elaine-terrace, Adelaide-street, Bondi Junction.

WANTED, resp. Girl for Housework, refs., sleep at home. Thurso, Jeffrey-street, Milson's Point.

WANTED, a young Woman as COOK. Mrs. F. A. A. Wilson, Wimmera, Alfred-street, North Shore.

WANTED, MEN to discharge timber. Langdon, Hopkins, and Langdon, foot Johnston-st., Annandale.

WANTED, a smart, useful GIRL, about 14. Hyde Park Coffee Rooms, 46 Park-street.

WANTED, little GIRL to mind baby 3 months old. 135 Johnston-street, Annandale.

WANTED, for North Shore, little Girl, to assist h'work, take baby out. 50 Newtown rd., nr. Myrtle-st.

WANTED, General SERVANT, another kept. Ticcana, 21 Onslow-avenue, Elizabeth Bay.

WANTED, useful Girl, sleep home. Apply after 9 a.m., 194 Great Buckingham-street, Redfern.

WANTED, first-class Cook and Assistant for Darlinghurst Courthouse. Mr. C. Cowper, Sheriff's Office.

WANTED, a strong LAD, to feed dr. machine. Batson and Co., 195 Clarence-street, printers, &c.

WANTED, superior Gen. SERVANT, small family, suburbs. Apply between 10 and 12 to-day.

WANTED, young Woman as General Servant, small family, good wages. 535 Crown-street, S. H.

WANTED, good private room WAITER. Apply 10 a.m., Royal Hotel.

WANTED, a man to Rent CAB, one or two horse, lot. 30 Calder-road, Golden Grove.

WANTED, Cabdrivers to RENT good Lots. 1 Ross-street, Forest Lodge.

WANTED, young PERSON to do housework, sleep at home. 44 Kippax-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, good General SERVANT, no washing, references. Finsbury, 135 Pitt-street, Redfern.

WANTED, respectable little GIRL, assist in house, sleep at home. 310 Oxford-st., Paddington.

WANTED immediately, respec. young Girl, assist housework and mind children. 50 Windsor-st., Pad.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply 122 George-street, Redfern.

WANTED, young MAN, make himself useful, look after horse & buggy. Cricketers' Arms, N'town.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT; sleep at home. Mrs. Day, 50 Botany-street.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply 38 Woodbine Cottage, Campbell-street, Paddington.

WANTED, a good LAUNDRESS. Apply Ivery's Hotel, Forbes and Wilson streets, Golden Grove.

WANTED, a Girl as General SERVANT; must be respectable. F. J. Palmer, 121 Regent-st., Chip's.

WANTED, a respectable person, to take charge of small house; refs; wages 10s. R. T. P., Herald.

WANTED, a respectable girl, as Nurse, and assist in housework. Davis, Oriental Hotel, Cir. Quay.

WANTED, a coloured Boy, used to housework. Fred. Allen, London Hotel, Darling-street, Balmain.

WANTED, General SERVANT; another girl kept. 464 Cleveland-st., near Crown-st., Sur. Hills.

WANTED, a little GIRL to assist in housework. No. 4 Thomson-street, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, a respectable Girl as KITCHEN-MAID; reference. 143 Macquarie-street North.

WANTED, good resp. Gen. SERVANT, no other need apply, refs. Mrs. Gillan, 16 Alma-st., D'rington.

WANTED, tidy NURSEGIRL, about 14 to mind baby. Galway Castle Hotel, Golden Grove.

WANTED, 10 Gen. SERVANTS, wages 15s, 14s, 12s, 10s. Davies Home, Norton-st., Leichhardt.

WANTED, good Gen. SERVANT, refs., small family, good wages. 399 Riley-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, Gen. SERVANT and Girl about 16, assist. Apply T. Ross, 27 Hunter-st., nr. Pitt-st.

WANTED, thorough General SERVANT, sleep at home, good wages, references. 49 Womerah-av.

WANTED, steady and sober Billiard-marker. Secretary French Club, bet. 8 and 9.30 a.m. this morn.

WANTED, House and Parlour Maid. Mrs. Himmeloch, Rose Hall, 184 Forbes-st., off William-st.

WANTED, Friends, C. L., H. P., good wages; Gen's, H. Ms., Cs. Mrs. Laycock, Railway-st., Pet'm.

WANTED, superior young GIRL, light housework, assist shop, good refs. 165 George-st. West.

WANTED, General SERVANT, for Bondi. Apply 260 Crown-street.

WANTED, a smart MAN, to collect and deliver orders. F. Isaub, Mudgee Butchery, Enmore-road.

WANTED, MAN used to stable work and drive a 'bus. Apply J. Elben, Military-road, North Shore.

WANTED, a good COOK. Farmers' Home Hotel, 717 George-street, city.

WANTED, WETNURSE for young infant. Particulars, 2 Jessie-ter., Upper William-st., D'hst.

WANTED, a respectable useful GIRL, sleep at home. Apply after 9, 332 Crown-street.

WANTED, Cook and Laundress, country; Chambermaid, first-class hotel; Storekeepers, 118 C'gh-st.

WANTED, Tip-carters, Station Hands; Boys, generally useful, 10s and found, at 118 C'reagh-st.

WANTED, 2 good Pick and Shovel MEN. Apply Running Sheds, Eveleigh. W. Wilson.

WANTED, a young GIRL as general servant. 21 Warrane-terrace, Moncur-street, Woollahra.

WANTED, useful GIRL to assist. Mrs. White, 58 Goodhope-street, Glenmore-road.

WANTED, kind PERSON to care child, 4 years old. A. B., Herald Office.

WANTED, smart HOUSEMAID, another kept. Apply No. 259 George-street north.

WANTED, a General SERVANT, references. Apply Phœnix Hotel, Moncur-street, Woollahra.

WANTED, young Woman as General Servant, references. Mrs. Smith, 2 Ina-terrace, Double Bay.

WANTED, a respectable YOUTH, to deliver newspapers. Apply 137 Elizabeth-street, Redfern.

WANTED, a MAN, to drive a Corporation cart; accustomed to the work pref. 41 Foveaux-st., S. H.

WANTED, a respectable Girl, as General SERVANT. No. 10 Kippax-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, respectable GIRL, gen. useful, comf. home, no children. 232 Palmer-st. Refs. Req. at once.

WANTED, a thoroughly competent COOK. 14 Pomeroy, Potts Point.

WANTED, tidy GIRL, 16, for general housework. Welcome Inn Hotel, 174 Liverpool-street.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT, three in family. Apply 17 Church-street, Newtown.

WANTED, honest BOY for hairdresser's saloon; good wages. J. Peromali, 61 Union street, Pyrmont.

WANTED, intelligent, respectable LAD or Youth for office. Pierce and Co., auctioneers, Ashfield.

WANTED, good experienced Farm Hand, Scotchman pref. New Zealand L. & M. A. Co., Ltd., Bridge-st.

WANTED, Man Cook, for station; Marr. Couple, man as cook, wife l. and housemaid. 44 Hunter-st.

WANTED, 2 House and Parlour Maids, 1 Housemaid and Needlewoman, 1 Cook, c'try. 44 Hunter-st.

WANTED, Male Attendant, Boy for station, Youth for farm. Giue's, 44 Hunter-street.

WANTED, Married Couple, with references, as House Servants, country bank. Giue's, 44 Hunter-st.

WANTED, young GIRL, assist housework; also, Mother's Help. 420 Castlereagh-st., op. Exhibition.

WANTED, smart, clean WAITRESS. 579 George-street, Brickfield-hill.

WANTED, good General SERVANT. Apply T. Ridgway, 95 Dixon-street, Darling Harbour.

WANTED, thorough General Servant, small fam., shirts given out. 663 Dowling-street, Moore Park.

WANTED, a MAN used to butchering. Duggan Bros., Miller's Point.

WANTED, young female Cook. Apply between 10 and 11 a.m., Queensland Club Hotel, 56 C'reagh-st.

WANTED, a first-class Wetnurse. Apply between 10 and 11 o'clock to Dr. Foreman, 215 Macquarie-st.

WANTED, thoroughly exp. Barmaid; references indispensable. Metropolitan Hotel, King and C'gh sts.

WANTED, a Grocery COUNTERMAN; refs. required. Ireland, 132 Botany-road, Alexandria.

WANTED, for a gentleman's family, a young MAN, to milk and be useful, must have knowledge of poultry; references. Apply, 12 a.m.,
T. R. DAVIS, Herald Office.

WANTED, HOUSE and PARLOURMAID, 3 in family; references. Apply, Wednesday and Thursday before 1 o'clock, to Mrs. G. L. DELOITTE, Wyoming, Snails Bay.

WANTED, a clean, active Woman as General SERVANT, must be good cook, no washing, references required. Apply to Mrs. T. H. Wilkinson, Isisbrook, Alt-street, Ashfield.

WANTED, General SERVANT and assist, mind child, references required.
Mrs. RICHARDSON, 8 Ruma-street, off Louisa-road, Balmain.

WANTED, young General SERVANT (small family), another kept; references.
Lithuremy-terrace, 539 Elizabeth-street South.

WANTED—Station Couples, £80; Cook and Laundress, station; Wheelwright and Blacksmith, station; Youths for stations; Housemaids, Parlourmaids, 14s; General Servants, 16s. Hittmann's, 147 Castlereagh-st.

WANTED, respectable General SERVANT, references, gent's. family, wages 20s, exc. situation; Cook and Laundress, gent.'s family, 16s, suburbs. Hittman's Labour Agency Co., 147 Castlereagh-street.

WANTED, a young married outdoor GARDENER, must be well up in all its branches, and not afraid of work. Apply Thos. Reedy, head gardener, Camden Park, Menangle.

WANTED, elderly WOMAN, or young Girl, to assist in housework; no children or washing.
Mrs. HEMMONS, Mandeville, 283 Glebe Point-road.

WANTED, good COOK, for private family, short distance from sydney. Apply 11 to 1, this day.
Y. W. C. A., Loma House, Wynyard-square.

WANTED, W. HOUSEKEEPER to farmer, elderly woman, knowledge of fowls, dairy work, &c., comfortable home, light duties; Scotch preferred. State particulars and wages to Household, Post-office, Penrith.

WANTED, handy MAN, to milk, mow, garden, and be generally useful; no objection to elderly man; must live on premises. Apply GEO. COATES, William-street, Granville.

WANTED, a Milkman and useful, £1; 3 Men Cooks, 20s, gentleman's places; a Cabdriver, £1 and keep, suburb; a Lad, ride and deliver meat, 10s and keep; a Married Couple, wife C. and L., man groom, milk, garden, &c., £80; Married Couple, man to cook, wife housemaid, £80, station. Simmonds, 188 Castlereagh-street.

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